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The Committee on Judiciary reported through REP. LAWLOR of the 99th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE REVISOR'S 2002 TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Subsection (d) of section 1-80 of the general statutes is
- 2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
- 3 passage):

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- 4 (d) The commission shall elect a chairperson who shall, except as
 - provided in subsection (b) of section 1-82 and subsection (b) of section
- 6 1-93, preside at meetings of the commission and a vice-chairperson to
- 7 preside in the absence of the chairperson. Five members of the
- 8 commission shall constitute a quorum. Except as provided in
- 9 subdivision (3) of subsection (a) of section 1-81, subsections (a) and (b)
- of section 1-82, subsection (b) of section 1-88, subdivision (5) of section
- 11 1-92, subsections (a) and (b) of section 1-93 and subsection (b) of
- 12 section 1-99, a majority vote of the quorum shall be required for action
- 13 of the commission. The chairperson or any four members may call a

- 14 meeting.
- Sec. 2. Section 1-102 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

17 No person, committee, association, organization or corporation shall 18 employ any salaried commissioner or deputy commissioner of this 19 state, or any person receiving a salary or pay from the state for services 20 rendered and performed at Hartford, or shall give to any such person 21 any advantage, aid, emolument, entertainment, money or other 22 valuable thing for appearing for, in behalf of or in opposition to, any 23 measure, bill, resolution or petition pending before the General 24 Assembly or any committee thereof, or for advancing, supporting, 25 advocating, or seeking to secure the passage, defeat or amendment of 26 any such measure, bill, resolution or petition pending in or before the 27 General Assembly or any committee thereof; nor shall any such 28 salaried commissioner, deputy commissioner or other person 29 described in this section accept any such employment or perform any 30 such service for another, or accept aid, emolument, entertainment, 31 money, advantage or other valuable thing for or in consideration of 32 any such service. Any person, committee, association, organization or 33 corporation, or any such salaried commissioner, deputy commissioner 34 or person receiving a salary or pay from the state for services rendered 35 and performed at Hartford, who violates any of the provisions of this 36 section, shall be fined not less than one hundred [nor] or more than 37 one thousand dollars. All complaints for the violation of this section 38 shall be made to the state's attorney for the judicial district of New 39 Britain, and said state's attorney shall, upon proof of probable guilt 40 being shown, cause the arrest of any such offender and present such 41 offender or cause such offender to be presented for trial before the 42 superior court for the judicial district of New Britain.

Sec. 3. Subsection (c) of section 4-28f of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

46 (c) The trust fund shall be administered by a board of trustees which

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shall consist of seventeen trustees. The appointment of the initial trustees shall be as follows: (1) The Governor shall appoint four trustees, one of whom shall serve for a term of one year from July 1, 2000, two of whom shall serve for a term of two years from July 1, 2000, and one of whom shall serve for a term of three years from July 1, 2000; (2) the speaker of the House of Representatives and the president pro tempore of the Senate each shall appoint two trustees, one of whom shall serve for a term of two years from July 1, 2000, and one of whom shall serve for a term of three years from July 1, 2000; (3) the majority leader of the House of Representatives and the majority leader of the Senate each shall appoint two trustees, one of whom shall serve for a term of one year from July 1, 2000, and one of whom shall serve for a term of three years from July 1, 2000; (4) the minority leader of the House of Representatives and the minority leader of the Senate each shall appoint two trustees, one of whom shall serve for a term of one year from July 1, 2000, and one of whom shall serve for a term of two years from July 1, 2000; and (5) the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management, or the secretary's designee, shall serve as an exofficio voting member. Following the expiration of such initial terms, subsequent trustees shall serve for a term of three years. The trustees shall serve without compensation except for reimbursement for necessary expenses incurred in performing their duties. The board of trustees shall establish rules of procedure for the conduct of its business which shall include, but not be limited to, criteria, processes and procedures to be used in selecting programs to receive money from the trust fund. The trust fund shall be within the Office of Policy and Management for administrative purposes only. The board of trustees shall meet not less than bimonthly and, not later than January first of each year, shall submit a report of [their] its activities and accomplishments to the joint standing committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to public health and appropriations and the budgets of state agencies, in accordance with section 11-4a. Such report shall be approved by each trustee.

Sec. 4. Section 4-67w of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

Not later than July 1, 2004, the State Prevention Council shall submit to the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management and the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to appropriations its recommendations concerning the potential expansion, including potential use of benchmarks, or termination of the State Prevention Council pursuant to section 2c-12.

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- Sec. 5. Subsection (a) of section 4-124w of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 91 (a) There is established an Office of Workforce Competitiveness 92 which shall be within the Office of Policy and Management [,] for 93 administrative purposes only.
- 94 Sec. 6. Subsection (b) of section 4-124x of the general statutes is 95 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 97 (b) Not later than ninety days after July 1, 2001, the Office of 98 Workforce Competitiveness, in consultation with the Commissioner of 99 Higher Education and the [Board] Boards of Trustees of The 100 University of Connecticut, the Community-Technical Colleges and the 101 Connecticut State University System and at least three independent 102 institutions of higher education in this state, shall establish written 103 participation guidelines for the pilot program authorized under this 104 section.
- Sec. 7. Section 4-124y of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- (a) Within available appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002, the Office of Workforce Competitiveness, in consultation with the Department of Higher Education and the [Board] <u>Boards</u> of Trustees of The University of Connecticut, the Community-Technical Colleges and the Connecticut State University System, shall establish a pilot program that is designed to assist noninformation technology

workers who demonstrate an aptitude in information technology to earn an information technology credential or degree at one of the constituent units of the state system of higher education.

- 116 (b) Not later than ninety days after July 1, 2001, the Office of
 117 Workforce Competitiveness, in consultation with the Commissioner of
 118 Higher Education and the [Board] <u>Boards</u> of Trustees of The
 119 University of Connecticut, the Community-Technical Colleges and the
 120 Connecticut State University System, shall establish written
 121 participation guidelines for the pilot program authorized under this
 122 section.
- 123 (c) Not later than January 1, 2002, the Office of Workforce 124 Competitiveness shall submit a status report in accordance with the 125 provisions of section 11-4a on the establishment and on any operation 126 of the pilot program authorized under this section to the Connecticut 127 Employment and Training Commission, the joint standing committees 128 of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to 129 appropriations and education and to the select committee of the 130 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to workforce 131 development.
- Sec. 8. Section 4-124aa of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 134 (a) Within available appropriations, the Office of Workforce 135 Competitiveness, in consultation with the Department of Higher 136 Education and the [Board] Boards of Trustees of The University of 137 Connecticut, the Community-Technical Colleges and the Connecticut 138 State University System, shall establish a pilot program that is 139 designed to provide information technology related internship and 140 cooperative work-study programs at the constituent units of the state 141 system of higher education.
 - (b) Not later than ninety days after July 1, 2001, the Office of Workforce Competitiveness, in consultation with the Commissioner of Higher Education and the [Board] <u>Boards</u> of Trustees of The

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145 University of Connecticut, the Community-Technical Colleges and the

- 146 Connecticut State University System, shall establish written
- 147 participation guidelines for the pilot program authorized under this
- 148 section.
- 149 (c) Not later than January 1, 2002, the Office of Workforce
- 150 Competitiveness shall submit a status report in accordance with the
- provisions of section 11-4a on the establishment and on any operation
- of the pilot program authorized under this section to the Connecticut
- 153 Employment and Training Commission, the joint standing committees
- 154 of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
- appropriations and education and to the select committee of the
- 156 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to workforce
- 157 development.
- 158 Sec. 9. Subsection (b) of section 4a-67h of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
- 160 passage):
- 161 (b) Within available appropriations, the Department of
- 162 Administrative Services shall establish procedures that promote, to the
- 163 greatest extent feasible, the procurement and use of recycled products
- 164 and environmentally preferable products and services by state
- 165 agencies. The department shall: (1) Designate environmentally
- 166 preferable products, taking into consideration the raw materials
- acquisition, production, manufacturing, packaging, distribution, reuse,
- operation, maintenance or disposal aspects of [the product] such
- 169 <u>products</u>, and establish minimum standards and specifications for
- 170 their procurement and use; (2) when feasible, include the use of
- 171 environmentally preferable products and services as a criteria in a
- multiple criteria bid or an evaluation factor in requests for proposals;
- and (3) consider the use of environmentally preferable business
- 174 practices when reviewing the overall performance of a bidder or
- 175 proposer's business operation. Such procedures shall not be considered
- 176 ["regulations"] regulations, as defined in section 4-166.
- 177 Sec. 10. Subsection (a) of section 5-142 of the general statutes is

repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

180 (a) If any member of the Division of State Police within the Department of Public Safety or of any correctional institution, or any 181 182 institution or facility of the Department of Mental Health and 183 Addiction Services giving care and treatment to persons afflicted with 184 a mental disorder or disease, or any institution for the care and 185 treatment of persons afflicted with any mental defect, or any full-time 186 enforcement officer of the Department of Environmental Protection, 187 the Department of Motor Vehicles, the Department of Consumer 188 Protection who carries out the duties and responsibilities of sections 189 30-2 to 30-68m, inclusive, the Office of Adult Probation, the 190 Department of Public Works or the Board of Parole, any probation 191 officer for juveniles or any employee of any juvenile detention home, 192 any member of the police or fire security force of The University of 193 Connecticut, any member of the police or fire security force of Bradley 194 International Airport, any member of the Office of State Capitol Police 195 or any person appointed under section 29-18 as a special policeman for 196 the State Capitol building and grounds and the Legislative Office 197 Building and parking garage and related structures and facilities and 198 other areas under the supervision and control of the Joint Committee 199 on Legislative Management, the Chief State's Attorney, the Chief 200 Public Defender, the Deputy Chief State's Attorney, the Deputy Chief 201 Public Defender, any state's attorney, any assistant state's attorney or 202 deputy assistant state's attorney, any public defender, assistant public 203 defender or deputy assistant public defender, any chief inspector or 204 inspector appointed under section 51-286 or any staff member or 205 employee of the Division of Criminal Justice or of the Division of 206 Public Defender Services, or any Judicial Department employee 207 sustains any injury (1) while making an arrest or in the actual 208 performance of such police duties or guard duties or fire duties or 209 inspection duties, or prosecution or public defender or courthouse 210 duties, or while attending or restraining an inmate of any such 211 institution or as a result of being assaulted in the performance of such 212 person's duty, or while responding to an emergency or code at a

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correctional institution, and (2) that is a direct result of the special hazards inherent in such duties, the state shall pay all necessary medical and hospital expenses resulting from such injury. If total incapacity results from such injury, such person shall be removed from the active payroll the first day of incapacity, exclusive of the day of injury, and placed on an inactive payroll. Such person shall continue to receive the full salary that such person was receiving at the time of injury subject to all salary benefits of active employees, including annual increments, and all salary adjustments, including salary deductions, required in the case of active employees, for a period of two hundred sixty weeks from the date of the beginning of such incapacity. Thereafter, such person shall be removed from the payroll and shall receive compensation at the rate of fifty per cent of the salary that such person was receiving at the expiration of said two hundred sixty weeks [so] as long as such person remains so disabled, except that any such person who is a member of the Division of State Police within the Department of Public Safety shall receive compensation at the rate of sixty-five per cent of such salary [so] as long as such person remains so disabled. Such benefits shall be payable to a member of the Division of State Police after two hundred sixty weeks of disability only if the member elects in writing to receive such benefits in lieu of any benefits payable to the employee under the state employees retirement system. In the event that such disabled member of the Division of State Police elects the compensation provided under this subsection, no benefits shall be payable under chapter 568 or the state employees retirement system until the former of the employee's death or recovery from such disability. The provisions of section 31-293 shall apply to any such payments, and the state of Connecticut is authorized to bring an action or join in an action as provided by said section for reimbursement of moneys paid and which it is obligated to pay under the terms of this subsection. All other provisions of the workers' compensation law not inconsistent with this subsection, including the specific indemnities and provisions for hearing and appeal, shall be available to any such state employee or the dependents of such a deceased employee. All payments of compensation made to a state

248 employee under this subsection shall be charged to the appropriation 249 provided for compensation awards to state employees. On and after 250 October 1, 1991, any full-time officer of the Department of 251 Environmental Protection, the Department of Motor Vehicles, the 252 Department of Consumer Protection who carries out the duties and 253 responsibilities of sections 30-2 to 30-68m, inclusive, the Office of 254 Adult Probation, the Department of Public Works or the Board of 255 Parole, any probation officer for juveniles or any employee of any 256 juvenile detention home, the Chief State's Attorney, the Chief Public 257 Defender, the Deputy Chief State's Attorney, the Deputy Chief Public 258 Defender, any state's attorney, assistant state's attorney or deputy 259 assistant state's attorney, any public defender, assistant public 260 defender or deputy assistant public defender, any chief inspector or 261 inspector appointed under section 51-286 or any staff member or 262 employee of the Division of Criminal Justice or the Division of Public 263 Defender Services, or any Judicial Department employee who sustains 264 any injury in the course and scope of such person's employment shall 265 be paid compensation in accordance with the provisions of section 5-266 143 and chapter 568, except, if such injury is sustained as a result of 267 being assaulted in the performance of such person's duty, any such 268 person shall be compensated pursuant to the provisions of this 269 subsection.

- Sec. 11. Subsection (l) of section 5-198 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- (l) All members of the professional and technical staffs of the constituent units of the state system of higher education, as defined in section 10a-1, of all other state institutions of learning, of the Department of Higher Education, and of the agricultural experiment station at New Haven, professional employees of the State Board of Education and teachers certified by the State Board of Education and employed in teaching positions at state institutions.
- Sec. 12. Section 5-212 of the general statutes is repealed and the

following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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No portion of an annual salary increase under section 5-210 shall be given which will result in a salary in excess of the salary range established for the employee's class of position. The amount of any lump-sum payments made in accordance with the provisions of [subsection (d) of] section 5-210 shall not be deemed an increase in salary.

Sec. 13. Subsection (b) of section 5-275 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(b) The board shall determine the appropriateness of a unit which shall be the public employer unit or a subdivision thereof. In determining the appropriateness of the unit, the board shall: (1) Take into consideration, but shall not [be limited] limit consideration to, the following: (A) Public employees must have an identifiable community of interest, and (B) the effects of overfragmentation; (2) not decide that any unit is appropriate if (A) such unit includes both professional and nonprofessional employees, unless a majority of such professional employees vote for inclusion in such unit, or (B) such unit includes both Department of Correction employees at or above the level of lieutenant and Department of Correction employees below the level of lieutenant; (3) take into consideration that when the state is the employer, it will be bargaining on a state-wide basis unless issues involve working conditions peculiar to a given governmental employment locale; (4) permit the faculties of (A) The University of Connecticut, (B) the Connecticut State University system, and (C) the state regional vocational-technical schools to each comprise a separate unit, which in each case shall have the right to bargain collectively with [its] their respective [board] boards of trustees or [its] their designated [representative] representatives; and (5) permit the community college faculty and the technical college faculty as they existed prior to July 1, 1992, to continue to comprise separate units, which in each case shall have the right to bargain collectively with its

314 board of trustees or its designated representative. Nonfaculty

- 315 professional staff of the above institutions may by mutual agreement
- 316 be included in such bargaining units, or they may form a separate
- 317 bargaining unit of their own. This section shall not be deemed to
- 318 prohibit multiunit bargaining.
- Sec. 14. Subsection (a) of section 6-38l of the general statutes is
- 320 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 321 passage):
- 322 (a) As used in [the] this section:
- 323 (1) "Contribution" has the same meaning as "contribution", as
- defined in section 9-333b, except that the exclusions to said term in
- 325 subsection (b) of said section shall not apply;
- 326 (2) "Expenditure" has the same meaning as "expenditure", as defined
- 327 in section 9-333c, except that the exclusions to said term in subsection
- 328 (b) of said section shall not apply; and
- 329 (3) "Immediate family" means a dependent relative who resides in
- 330 the individual's household or any spouse, child or parent of the
- 331 individual.
- Sec. 15. Subsection (c) of section 6-38m of the general statutes is
- 333 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 334 passage):
- 335 (c) The additional fee paid to [court] the Superior Court pursuant to
- section 52-259d and any fee collected pursuant to subsection (b) of this
- section, shall be deposited in the General Fund.
- Sec. 16. Subdivision (3) of section 7-36 of the general statutes is
- 339 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 340 passage):
- 341 (3) "Institution" means any public or private facility [,] that provides
- 342 inpatient medical, surgical or diagnostic care or treatment, or nursing,

custodial or domiciliary care, or to which persons are committed by law.

Sec. 17. Section 7-53 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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Upon receipt of the record of adoption referred to in subsection (e) of section 45a-745 or of other evidence satisfactory to the department that a person born in this state has been adopted, the department shall prepare a new birth certificate of such adopted person, except that no new certificate of birth shall be prepared if the court decreeing the adoption, the adoptive parents or the adopted person, if over fourteen years of age, so requests. Such new birth certificate shall include all the information required to be set forth in a certificate of birth of this state as of the date of birth, except that the adopting parents shall be named as the parents instead of the genetic parents and, when a certified copy of the birth of such person is requested by an authorized person, a copy of the new certificate of birth as prepared by the department shall be provided. Any person seeking to examine or obtain a copy of the original record or certificate of birth shall first obtain a written order signed by the judge of the probate court for the district in which the adopted person was adopted or born in accordance with section [45a-751] <u>45a-753</u>, or a written order of the Probate Court in accordance with the provisions of section 45a-752, stating that the court is of the opinion that the examination of the birth record of the adopted person by the adopting parents or the adopted person, if over eighteen years of age, or by the person wishing to examine the same or that the issuance of a copy of such birth certificate to the adopting parents [,] or the adopted person, if over eighteen years of age, or to the person applying therefor will not be detrimental to the public interest or to the welfare of the adopted person or to the welfare of the genetic or adoptive parent or parents. Upon receipt of such court order, the registrar of vital statistics of any town in which the birth of such person was recorded, or the department, may issue the certified copy of the original certificate of birth on file, marked with a notation by the issuer that such original certificate of birth has been superseded by a

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replacement certificate of birth as on file, or [,] may permit the examination of such record. Immediately after a new certificate of birth has been prepared, an exact copy of such certificate, together with a written notice of the evidence of adoption, shall be transmitted by the department to the registrar of vital statistics of each town in this state in which the birth of the adopted person is recorded. The new birth certificate, the original certificate of birth on file and the evidence of adoption shall be filed and indexed, under such regulations as the commissioner adopts, in accordance with chapter 54, to carry out the provisions of this section and to prevent access to the records of birth and adoption and the information therein contained without due cause, except as provided in this section. Any person, except such parents or adopted person, who discloses any information contained in such records, except as provided in this section, shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars or imprisoned not more than six months, or both. Whenever a certified copy of an adoption decree from a court of a foreign country, having jurisdiction of the adopted person, is filed with the department under the provisions of this section, such decree, when written in a language other than English, shall be accompanied by an English translation, which shall be subscribed and sworn to as a true translation by an American consulate officer stationed in such foreign country.

Sec. 18. Subsection (a) of section 7-60 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(a) Each case of fetal death shall be registered and a fetal death certificate shall be filed with the registrar of vital statistics in the manner required by sections 7-48, 7-50, 7-51 [,] and 7-52 with respect to the filing, content and issuance of birth certificates. A fetus born after a period of gestation of not less than twenty weeks in which there is no attempt at respiration, no action of heart and no movement of voluntary muscle, shall be recorded as a fetal death. A fetal death certificate shall be signed by a physician or, when no physician was in attendance, by the Chief Medical Examiner, Deputy Chief Medical

411 Examiner, an associate medical examiner, or an authorized assistant

- 412 medical examiner.
- 413 Sec. 19. Subparagraph (H)(xv) of subdivision (7) of subsection (c) of
- 414 section 7-148 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is
- 415 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 416 (xv) Make and enforce regulations preventing housing blight,
- 417 including regulations reducing assessments, provided such regulations
- 418 define housing blight, and including regulations establishing a duty to
- 419 maintain property and specifying standards to determine if there is
- 420 neglect; prescribe fines for the violation of such regulations of not less
- 421 than ten [nor] or more than one hundred dollars for each day that a
- 422 violation continues and, if such fines are prescribed, such municipality
- 423 shall adopt a citation hearing procedure in accordance with section 7-
- 424 152c.
- 425 Sec. 20. Subsections (f) and (g) of section 8-23 of the general statutes
- 426 are repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective
- 427 from passage):
- 428 (f) A plan of conservation and development or any part thereof or
- 429 amendment thereto prepared by the commission or any special
- 430 committee shall be reviewed, and may be amended, by the
- 431 commission prior to scheduling at least one public hearing on
- 432 adoption. At least sixty-five days prior to the public hearing on
- 433 adoption, the commission shall submit a copy of such plan or part
- 434 thereof or amendment thereto for review and comment to the
- 435 legislative body. Such body may hold one or more hearings on the
- 436 proposed plan and shall submit any comments to the commission
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- prior to the public hearing on adoption. The failure of such body to
- 438 report prior to or at the public hearing shall be taken as approval of the
- 439 plan. At least sixty-five days prior to the public hearing on adoption,
- 440 the commission shall submit a copy of such plan to the regional
- 441 planning agency for review and comment. The regional planning
- 442 agency shall report its comments to the commission at or before the
- 443 hearing. The failure of the regional planning agency to report at or

before the hearing shall be taken as approval of the plan. The report of the regional planning agency shall be advisory. Prior to the public hearing on adoption, the commission shall file in the office of the town clerk a copy of such plan or part thereof or amendment thereto but, in the case of a district commission, such commission shall file such information in the offices of both the district clerk and the town clerk. The commission shall cause to be published in a newspaper having a general circulation in the municipality, at least twice at intervals of not less than two days, the first not more than fifteen days [, nor] or less than ten days, and the last not less than two days prior to the date of each such hearing, notice of the time and place of any such public hearing. Such notice shall make reference to the filing of such plan in the office of the town clerk, or both the district clerk and the town clerk, as the case may be.

- (g) The commission may adopt the plan or any part thereof or amendment thereto by a single resolution or may, by successive resolutions, adopt parts of the plan and amendments thereto. Any plan, section of a plan or recommendation in the plan, not endorsed by the legislative body of the municipality may be adopted by the commission by a vote of not less than two-thirds of all the members of the commission. Upon adoption by the commission, any plan or part thereof or amendment thereto shall become effective at a time established by the commission, provided notice thereof shall be published in a newspaper having a general circulation in the municipality prior to such effective date. Any plan or part thereof or amendment thereto shall be filed in the office of the town clerk, except that, if it is a district plan or amendment, it shall be filed in the offices of both the district and town [clerk] clerks.
- Sec. 21. Subsection (a) of section 8-209a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from* passage):
 - (a) Notwithstanding [the provisions] <u>any provision</u> of the general statutes, any project that is eligible for state financial aid for demolition

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of buildings shall be eligible to apply for state financial aid under the same program such project was eligible for demolition for the costs of moving one or more buildings that are a part of such project from one location to another, provided (1) the subject buildings currently contain or will be renovated to contain one or more dwelling units per building, and (2) the total cost of relocating the subject buildings does not exceed by more than five per cent the total of all costs associated with the demolition of such buildings, including, but not limited to: The costs of preparing the buildings for [demolitions] demolition, including the costs of abatement of asbestos and other hazardous materials; the actual costs of taking the buildings down; the relocation of residents, including the costs of relocation assistance; utility relocation; environmental remediation after the buildings have been demolished; removal of the foundations; the filling of the site with clean fill; and any other costs associated with the demolition of the buildings or the return of the sites to a condition suitable for future development, provided any costs which would be incurred regardless of whether the subject buildings are moved or demolished shall not be included in such comparison in any way, and (3) the entity requesting state financial aid can demonstrate to the agency providing state financial aid the benefits to the neighborhood or municipality of preserving the character of the area by retaining the subject buildings.

Sec. 22. Subsection (d) of section 10a-77 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(d) Said board of trustees shall waive the payment of tuition at any of the regional community-technical colleges (1) for any dependent child of a person whom the armed forces of the United States has declared to be missing in action or to have been a prisoner of war while serving in such armed forces after January 1, 1960, which child has been accepted for admission to such institution and is a resident of Connecticut at the time such child is accepted for admission to such institution, (2) for any veteran having served in time of war, as defined in subsection (a) of section 27-103, or who served in either a combat or

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combat support role in the invasion of Grenada, October 25, 1983, to December 15, 1983, the invasion of Panama, December 20, 1989, to January 31, 1990, or the peace-keeping mission in Lebanon, September 29, 1982, to March 30, 1984, who has been accepted for admission to such institution and is a resident of Connecticut at the time such veteran is accepted for admission to such institution, (3) for any resident of Connecticut sixty-two years of age or older, provided, at the end of the regular registration period, there are enrolled in the course a sufficient number of students other than those persons eligible for waivers pursuant to this subdivision to offer the course in which such person intends to enroll and there is space available in such course after accommodating all such students, (4) for any student attending the Connecticut State Police Academy who is enrolled in a law enforcement program at said academy offered in coordination with a regional community-technical college which accredits courses taken in such program, (5) for any active member of the Connecticut Army or Air National Guard who (A) is a resident of Connecticut, (B) has been certified by the Adjutant General or such Adjutant General's designee as a member in good standing of the guard, and (C) is enrolled or accepted for admission to such institution on a full-time or part-time basis in an undergraduate degree-granting program, (6) for any dependent child of a (A) police officer, as defined in section 7-294a, or [a] supernumerary or auxiliary police officer, (B) firefighter, as defined in section 7-323j, or member of a volunteer fire company, (C) municipal employee, or (D) state employee, as defined in section 5-154, killed in the line of duty, and (7) for any resident of the state who is a dependent child or surviving spouse of a specified terrorist victim who was a resident of this state. If any person who receives a tuition waiver in accordance with the provisions of this subsection also receives educational reimbursement from an employer, such waiver shall be reduced by the amount of such educational reimbursement. Veterans described in subdivision (2) of this subsection and members of the National Guard described in subdivision (5) of this subsection shall be given the same status as students not receiving tuition waivers in registering for courses at regional community-technical colleges.

Sec. 23. Subsection (d) of section 10a-99 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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(d) Said board shall waive the payment of tuition fees at the Connecticut State University system (1) for any dependent child of a person whom the armed forces of the United States has declared to be missing in action or to have been a prisoner of war while serving in such armed forces after January 1, 1960, which child has been accepted for admission to such institution and is a resident of Connecticut at the time such child is accepted for admission to such institution, (2) for any veteran having served in time of war, as defined in subsection (a) of section 27-103, or who served in either a combat or combat support role in the invasion of Grenada, October 25, 1983, to December 15, 1983, the invasion of Panama, December 20, 1989, to January 31, 1990, or the peace-keeping mission in Lebanon, September 29, 1982, to March 30, 1984, who has been accepted for admission to such institution and is a resident of Connecticut at the time such veteran is accepted for admission to such institution, (3) for any resident of Connecticut sixty-two years of age or older who has been accepted for admission to such institution, provided (A) such person is enrolled in a degree-granting program, or [, provided,] (B) at the end of the regular registration period, there are enrolled in the course a sufficient number of students other than those persons eligible for waivers pursuant to this subdivision to offer the course in which such person intends to enroll and there is space available in such course after accommodating all such students, (4) for any student attending the Connecticut Police Academy who is enrolled in a law enforcement program at said academy offered in coordination with the university which accredits courses taken in such program, (5) for any active member of the Connecticut Army or Air National Guard who (A) is a resident of Connecticut, (B) has been certified by the Adjutant General or such Adjutant General's designee as a member in good standing of the guard, and (C) is enrolled or accepted for admission to such institution on a full-time or part-time basis in an undergraduate degree-granting program, (6) for any dependent child of a (A) police officer, as defined

in section 7-294a, or [a] supernumerary or auxiliary police officer, (B) firefighter, as defined in section 7-323j, or [a] member of a volunteer fire company, (C) municipal employee, or (D) state employee, as defined in section 5-154, killed in the line of duty, and (7) for any resident of this state who is a dependent child or surviving spouse of a specified terrorist victim who was a resident of the state. If any person who receives a tuition waiver in accordance with the provisions of this subsection also receives educational reimbursement from an employer, such waiver shall be reduced by the amount of such educational reimbursement. Veterans described in subdivision (2) of this subsection and members of the National Guard described in subdivision (5) of this subsection shall be given the same status as students not receiving tuition waivers in registering for courses at Connecticut state universities.

Sec. 24. Subsection (e) of section 10a-105 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(e) Said board of trustees shall waive the payment of tuition fees at The University of Connecticut (1) for any dependent child of a person whom the armed forces of the United States has declared to be missing in action or to have been a prisoner of war while serving in such armed forces after January 1, 1960, which child has been accepted for admission to The University of Connecticut and is a resident of Connecticut at the time such child is accepted for admission to [such] said institution, (2) for any veteran having served in time of war, as defined in subsection (a) of section 27-103, or who served in either a combat or combat support role in the invasion of Grenada, October 25, 1983, to December 15, 1983, the invasion of Panama, December 20, 1989, to January 31, 1990, or the peace-keeping mission in Lebanon, September 29, 1982, to March 30, 1984, who has been accepted for admission to said institution and is a resident of Connecticut at the time such veteran is accepted for admission to said institution, (3) for any resident of Connecticut sixty-two years of age or older who has been accepted for admission to said institution, provided (A) such

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Sec. 25. Subsection (b) of section 12-65b of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(b) The provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall only apply if the improvements are for at least one of the following: (1) [For office] Office use; (2) [for] retail use; (3) [for] permanent residential use; (4) [for] transient residential use; (5) [for] manufacturing use; (6) [for] warehouse, storage or distribution use; (7) [for] structured multilevel

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- 650 [for] information technology; (9) [for] recreation facilities; or (10) [for]
- 651 transportation facilities.
- Sec. 26. Subsection (a) of section 14-15c of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 654 passage):
- (a) Upon expiration of a motor vehicle rental contract between a
- lessee and a rental company, the rental company has the right to take
- 657 possession of the rental motor vehicle pursuant to this section if: (1)
- The term of the expired rental contract was for thirty days or less; and
- 659 (2) not less than seventy-two hours have elapsed from the time the
- vehicle should have been returned in accordance with the provisions
- of the rental contract, [and] during which time the lessee and the rental
- 662 company did not agree to extend the rental contract. ["Lessee"] For the
- 663 <u>purposes of this section, "lessee"</u> and "rental company" have the same
- meaning as <u>provided</u> in section 12-692 and "rental motor vehicle" has
- the same meaning as <u>provided</u> in section 14-15b.
- Sec. 27. Subdivision (3) of subsection (f) of section 14-164c of the
- general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
- 668 thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 669 (3) No such licensee may be appointed by the commissioner nor
- 670 may any such licensee conduct any inspection unless the licensee has
- 671 in its employ one or more certified emissions inspectors and repair
- 672 technicians. Such inspectors and technicians shall conduct all
- 673 inspections and related emissions repair work [,] and shall meet the
- 674 training and certification requirements in 40 CFR Part 51.367 [,] and of
- 675 the regulations adopted by the commissioner in accordance with this
- 676 subsection.
- Sec. 28. Subsection (g) of section 14-164c of the general statutes is
- 678 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
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(g) The independent contractor or contractors retained by the state in accordance with the provisions of subsection (e) of this section may conduct emissions inspections at one or more facilities owned or operated by a motor vehicle dealer or dealers, licensed in accordance with section 14-52. No such inspection facility located on the premises of a licensed dealer shall be operated without the prior approval of the commissioner. The operation of each such facility shall be subject to such procedures and requirements, to be followed by the contractor and the licensee, as may be prescribed by the terms and conditions of the contract entered into in accordance with the provisions of subsection (e) of this section, and in regulations as may be adopted by the commissioner in accordance with chapter 54. The state shall not be a party to, or assume or incur any liability of any kind under, any agreement entered into between the independent contractor and any dealer [,] in furtherance of the provisions of this subsection. The contract or contracts entered into by the state in accordance with the provisions of subsection (e) of this section shall provide for indemnification of the state with respect to the operation of any such inspection facility located at a motor vehicle dealership, in the same manner and to the same extent as the operation of an official emissions inspection station.

Sec. 29. Subsection (a) of section 17a-4 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(a) There shall be a State Advisory Council on Children and Families which shall consist of seventeen members appointed by the Governor, including at least five persons who are child care professionals, one child psychiatrist licensed to practice medicine in this state and at least one attorney. The balance of the advisory council shall be representative of young persons, parents and others interested in the delivery of services to children and youth. No less than fifty per cent of the council's members shall be parents or family members of children who have received, or are receiving, behavioral health services, child welfare services or juvenile services and no more than

714 half the members of the council shall be persons who receive income 715 from a private practice or any public or private agency that delivers 716 mental health, substance abuse, child abuse prevention and treatment, 717 child welfare services or juvenile services. Members of the council shall 718 serve without compensation, except for necessary expenses incurred in 719 the performance of their duties. Members shall serve on the council for 720 terms of two years each and no member shall serve for more than two 721 consecutive terms. The commissioner shall be an ex-officio member of 722 the council without vote and shall attend its meetings. Any member 723 who fails to attend three consecutive meetings or fifty per cent of all 724 meetings during any calendar year shall be deemed to have resigned. 725 The council shall elect a chairperson and vice-chairperson to act in the 726 chairperson's absence.

- Sec. 30. Subsection (b) of section 17a-4a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 730 (b) The Children's Behavioral Health Advisory Committee shall be 731 composed of the following ex-officio voting members: (1) The 732 Commissioner of Children and Families or the commissioner's 733 the Commissioner of Social Services (2)designee; the 734 commissioner's designee; (3) the Executive Director of the Children's 735 Health Council or said director's designee; (4) the Chief Court 736 Administrator or said administrator's designee; (5) the Commissioner 737 of Education or the commissioner's designee; (6) the Commissioner of 738 Mental Health and Addiction Services or the commissioner's designee; 739 (7) the Commissioner of Mental Retardation or the commissioner's 740 designee; (8) the executive director of the Office of Protection and 741 Advocacy for Persons with Disabilities or the director's designee; and 742 the following public members: (A) Two members appointed by the Governor, one [member who] of whom shall be a parent of a child who 743 744 receives behavioral health services and [the other] one of whom shall 745 be a provider of behavioral health services; (B) [one member each] six 746 members, one of whom shall be appointed by the president pro 747 tempore of the Senate, one of whom shall be appointed by the speaker

of the House of Representatives, one of whom shall be appointed by 748 749 the majority leader of the Senate, one of whom shall be appointed by 750 the majority leader of the House of Representatives, one of whom shall 751 be appointed by the minority leader of the Senate and one of whom 752 shall be appointed by the minority leader of the House of 753 Representatives, and all of whom shall be knowledgeable on issues 754 relative to children in need of behavioral health services and family 755 supports; and (C) sixteen members appointed by the chairperson of the 756 State Advisory Council on Children and Families. The membership of 757 the advisory committee shall fairly and adequately represent parents 758 of children who have a serious emotional disturbance. At least fifty-759 one per cent of the members of the advisory committee shall be 760 persons who are parents or relatives of a child who has or had a 761 serious emotional disturbance or persons who had a serious emotional 762 disturbance as [a child] children and no more than half the members of 763 the committee shall be persons who receive income from a private 764 practice or any public or private agency that delivers behavioral health 765 services.

- Sec. 31. Section 17a-18 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 768 The Commissioner of Children and Families may accept and receive 769 on behalf of the department or any institution or facility thereof, or on 770 behalf of the Children's Trust Fund or the Parent Trust Fund 771 established pursuant to section 17a-50, subject to section 4b-22, any bequest, devise or grant made to the department or to any institution 772 773 or facility thereof, or to [such] the Children's Trust Fund or the Parent 774 Trust Fund, and may hold and use such property for the purpose 775 specified in such bequest, devise or gift.
- Sec. 32. Subsection (a) of section 17a-22a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 779 (a) The Commissioner of Social Services and the Commissioner of 780 Children and Families shall, within available appropriations, develop

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and administer an integrated behavioral health service delivery system to be known as Connecticut Community KidCare. Said system shall provide services to children and youth with behavioral health needs who are in the custody of the Department of Children and Families, who are eligible to receive services from the HUSKY Plan, Part A or the federally subsidized portion of Part B, or receive services under the voluntary services program operated by the Department of Children and Families. All necessary changes to the IV-E, Title XIX and Title XXI state plans shall be made to maximize federal financial participation. The Commissioner of Social Services may amend the state Medicaid plan to facilitate the claiming of federal reimbursement for private nonmedical institutions as defined in the Social Security Act. The Commissioner of Social Services may implement policies and procedures necessary to provide reimbursement for the services provided by private nonmedical institutions, as defined in 42 CFR Part 434, while in the process of adopting such policies and procedures in regulation form, provided the commissioner prints notice of intention to adopt the regulations in the Connecticut Law Journal within twenty days of implementing such policies and procedures. Policies and procedures implemented pursuant to this subsection [,] shall be valid until the time such regulations are effective.

Sec. 33. Subsection (d) of section 17a-22a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(d) [Said commissioners] The Commissioner of Social Services and the Commissioner of Children and Families shall enter into a memorandum of understanding for the purpose of the joint administration of Connecticut Community KidCare. Such memorandum of understanding shall establish mechanisms to administer funding for, establish standards for [,] and monitor implementation of [,] Connecticut Community KidCare and specify that (1) the Department of Social Services, which is the agency designated as the single state agency for the administration of the Medicaid program pursuant to Title XIX of the Social Security Act and

815 is the agency responsible for the administration of the HUSKY Plan, 816 Part B under Title XXI of the Social Security Act, manage all Medicaid 817 and HUSKY Plan modifications, waiver amendments, federal 818 reporting and claims processing and provide financial management, 819 and (2) the Department of Children and Families, which is the state 820 agency responsible for administering and evaluating a comprehensive 821 and integrated state-wide program of services for children and youth 822 with behavioral health needs, define the services to be included in the 823 continuum of care and develop state-wide training programs for 824 providers, families and other persons.

- Sec. 34. Section 17a-22d of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 827 The Commissioner of Children and Families may, within available 828 appropriations, provide financial assistance for the establishment of an 829 organization, with local chapters in each region served by the 830 Department of Children and Families, that shall provide family-to-831 family support and family advocates for children, youth and their 832 families, and when requested by the family, assist the family with the 833 individual service plan process and otherwise encourage active family 834 participation in treatment and Connecticut Community KidCare 835 planning. Such organization shall assure that families have input into 836 the development and implementation of their individual service plans, 837 including those established pursuant to section 17a-127, and into 838 policy and planning for, and the implementation and evaluation of, 839 Connecticut Community KidCare.
- Sec. 35. Subsection (a) of section 17a-50 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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(a) There is established a Children's Trust Fund, the resources of which shall be used by the council established pursuant to subsection (b) of this section [,] to fund programs aimed at preventing child abuse and neglect and family resource programs. Said fund is intended to be in addition to those resources that would otherwise be appropriated

848 by the state for programs aimed at preventing child abuse and neglect 849 and family resource programs. The Children's Trust Fund Council may 850 apply for and accept any federal funds which are available for a 851 Children's Trust Fund and shall administer such funds in the manner 852 required by federal law. The fund shall receive money from grants and 853 gifts made pursuant to section 17a-18. The Children's Trust Fund 854 Council shall adopt regulations, in accordance with the provisions of 855 chapter 54, to administer the fund and to set eligibility requirements 856 for programs seeking funding. Youth service bureaus may receive 857 funds from the Children's Trust Fund. The Parent Trust Fund, 858 established pursuant to subsection (c) of this section, may receive 859 funds directed to it through the Children's Trust Fund.

- Sec. 36. Subsection (b) of section 17a-460c of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 863 (b) The agreements and other contractual arrangements identified in 864 subsection (a) of this section may include plans and arrangements 865 certified by the Department of Social Services, the Department of 866 Mental Health and Addiction Services, or the federal [Health Care Financing Administration Centers for Medicare and Medicaid 867 868 Services, to provide services to Medicaid, Medicare, general assistance, 869 Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services or [Health Care 870 Financing Administration Centers for Medicare and Medicaid 871 Services beneficiaries, as well as private plans and arrangements 872 satisfactory to the commissioner.
- Sec. 37. Section 17b-28d of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- The Commissioner of Social Services, in consultation with the Commissioner of Education, shall submit to the [Health Care Financing Administration] Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services an amendment to the state Medicaid plan required by Title XIX of the Social Security Act to enhance federal financial participation for Medicaid services provided to Medicaid enrolled children

881 requiring special education pursuant to an individualized education 882 plan. The amendment shall propose (1) the establishment of either a 883 simplified cost-based or fixed fee method of determining state 884 expenditures for eligible Medicaid services provided to such children, 885 and (2) the replacement of the annual activity cost reports for all 886 school-based child health services provided to such children. Any 887 fixed fee established by the Department of Social Services shall be a per 888 diem or monthly rate per child and shall reflect reimbursable 889 administrative expenses.

Sec. 38. Subsection (b) of section 17b-104 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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- 893 (b) On July 1, 1988, and annually thereafter, the commissioner shall 894 increase the payment standards over [that] those of the previous fiscal 895 year under the aid to families with dependent children program, 896 temporary family assistance program, the state-administered general 897 assistance program and for the general assistance program by the 898 percentage increase, if any, in the most recent calendar year average in 899 the consumer price index for urban consumers over the average for the 900 previous calendar year, provided the annual increase, if any, shall not 901 exceed five per cent, except that the payment standards for the fiscal 902 years ending June 30, 1992, June 30, 1993, June 30, 1994, June 30, 1995, 903 June 30, 1996, June 30, 1997, June 30, 1998, June 30, 1999, June 30, 2000, 904 June 30, 2001, June 30, 2002, and June 30, 2003, shall not be increased. 905 On January 1, 1994, the payment standards shall be equal to the 906 standards of need in effect July 1, 1993.
- 907 Sec. 39. Subsection (b) of section 17b-112e of the general statutes is 908 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from* 909 *passage*):
 - (b) Said safety net shall consist of services provided through the existing community service delivery network with additional resources provided by the Department of Social Services. Services shall be provided in-kind or through vendor or voucher payment. Services

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may include the following: (1) Food, shelter, clothing and employment assistance; (2) eviction prevention; (3) intensive case management; (4) continuous monitoring for child abuse or neglect; and (5) for families at risk of losing benefits under the temporary family assistance program, individual performance contracts [,] that shall be administered by the Labor Department and that require job training, job searching, volunteer work, participation in parenting programs or counseling or any other requirements deemed necessary by the Labor Commissioner.

- Sec. 40. Subsection (a) of section 17b-253 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- (a) The Department of Social Services shall seek appropriate amendments to its Medicaid regulations and state plan to allow protection of resources and income pursuant to section 17b-252. Such protection shall be provided, to the extent approved by the federal [Health Care Financing Administration] Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, for any purchaser of a precertified long-term care policy and shall last for the life of the purchaser. Such protection shall be provided under the Medicaid program or its successor program. Any purchaser of a precertified long-term care policy shall be guaranteed coverage under the Medicaid program or its successor program, to the extent the individual meets all applicable eligibility requirements for the Medicaid program or its successor program. Until such time as eligibility requirements are prescribed for Medicaid's successor program, for the purposes of this subsection, the applicable eligibility requirements shall be the Medicaid program's requirements as of the date its successor program was enacted. The Department of Social Services shall count insurance benefit payments toward resource exclusion to the extent such payments (1) are for services paid for by a precertified long-term care policy; (2) are for the lower of the actual charge and the amount paid by the insurance company; (3) are for nursing home care, or formal services delivered to insureds in the community as part of a care plan approved by an access agency

approved by the Office of Policy and Management and the Department of Social Services as meeting the requirements for such agency as defined in regulations adopted pursuant to subsection (e) of section 17b-342; and (4) are for services provided after the individual meets the coverage requirements for long-term care benefits established by the Department of Social Services for this program. The Commissioner of Social Services shall adopt regulations, in accordance with chapter 54, to implement the provisions of this subsection and sections 17b-251, 17b-252, 17b-254 and 38a-475 relating to determining eligibility of applicants for Medicaid, or its successor program, and the coverage requirements for long-term care benefits.

- Sec. 41. Subsection (a) of section 17b-281a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (a) The Commissioner of Social Services shall extend the procedure in effect on October 1, 1998, for the preauthorization of the purchase or rental of new durable medical equipment and modification or repair of existing equipment to include services provided to Medicaid recipients who are also recipients of Medicare. The commissioner may enter into any necessary agreements with the [Health Care Financing Administration] Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to ensure the coordination of authorization and payment for durable medical equipment for such recipients.
- 971 Sec. 42. Section 17b-291 of the general statutes is repealed and the 972 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

The commissioner shall submit a state children's health insurance plan to implement the provisions of sections 17b-289 to 17b-303, inclusive, and section 16 of public act 97-1 of the October 29 special session* to the [Health Care Financing Administration] Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services in accordance with the provisions of Subtitle J of Public Law 105-33. Such plan and any revisions thereto shall be submitted to the joint standing committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to human services,

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- Sec. 43. Subsection (a) of section 17b-297b of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 1004 (a) To the extent permitted by federal law, the Commissioners of 1005 Social Services and Education shall jointly establish procedures for the 1006 sharing of information contained in applications for free and reduced 1007 price meals under the National School Lunch Program for the purpose 1008 of determining whether children participating in [such] said program 1009 are eligible for coverage under the HUSKY Plan, Part A and Part B. 1010 The Commissioner of Social Services shall take all actions necessary to 1011 ensure that children identified as eligible for the HUSKY Plan are able 1012 to enroll in [such] said plan.

Sec. 44. Subsection (b) of section 17b-337 of the general statutes is

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- (b) The Long-Term Care Planning Committee shall, within available appropriations, study issues relative to long-term care including, but not limited to, the case-mix system of Medicaid reimbursement, community-based service options, access to long-term care and geriatric psychiatric services. [Such] The committee shall evaluate issues relative to long-term care in light of the United States Supreme Court decision, Olmstead v. L.C., 119 S. Ct. 2176 (1999), requiring states to place persons with disabilities in community settings rather than in institutions when such placement is appropriate, the transfer to a less restrictive setting is not opposed by such persons and such placement can be reasonably accommodated.
- Sec. 45. Subsections (g) and (h) of section 17b-340 of the general statutes are repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (g) For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1993, any intermediate care facility for the mentally retarded with an operating cost component of its rate in excess of one hundred forty per cent of the median of operating cost components of rates in effect January 1, 1992, shall not receive an operating cost component increase. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1993, any intermediate care facility for the mentally retarded with an operating cost component of its rate that is less than one hundred forty per cent of the median of operating cost components of rates in effect January 1, 1992, shall have an allowance for real wage growth equal to thirty per cent of the increase determined in accordance with subsection (q) of section 17-311-52 of the regulations of Connecticut state agencies, provided such operating cost component shall not exceed one hundred forty per cent of the median of operating cost components in effect January 1, 1992. Any facility with real property other than land placed in service prior to October 1, 1991, shall, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1995, receive a rate of return on real property equal to the average of the rates of

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return applied to real property other than land placed in service for the five years preceding October 1, 1993. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, and any succeeding fiscal year, the rate of return on real property for property items shall be revised every five years. The commissioner shall, upon submission of a request, allow actual debt service, comprised of principal and interest, in excess of property costs allowed pursuant to section 17-311-52 of the regulations of Connecticut state agencies, provided such debt service terms and amounts are reasonable in relation to the useful life and the base value of the property. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1995, and any succeeding fiscal year, the inflation adjustment made in accordance with subsection (p) of section 17-311-52 of the regulations of Connecticut state agencies [,] shall not be applied to real property costs. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, and any succeeding fiscal year, the allowance for real wage growth, as determined in accordance with subsection (q) of section 17-311-52 of the regulations of Connecticut state agencies, shall not be applied. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, and any succeeding fiscal year, no rate shall exceed three hundred seventy-five dollars per day unless the commissioner, in consultation with the Commissioner of Mental Retardation, determines after a review of program and management costs, that a rate in excess of this amount is necessary for care and treatment of facility residents. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002, rate period, the Commissioner of Social Services shall increase the inflation adjustment for rates made in accordance with subsection (p) of section 17-311-52 of the regulations of Connecticut state agencies to update allowable fiscal year 2000 costs to include a three and one-half per cent inflation factor. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2003, rate period, the commissioner shall increase the inflation adjustment for rates made in accordance with subsection (p) of section 17-311-52 of the regulations of Connecticut state agencies to update allowable fiscal year 2001 costs to include a one and one-half per cent inflation factor, except that such increase shall be effective November 1, 2002, and such facility rate in effect for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002, shall be paid for services provided until October 31, 2002, except any facility that would have

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been issued a lower rate effective July 1, 2002, than for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002, due to interim rate status or agreement with the department shall be issued such lower rate effective July 1, 2002, and have such rate updated effective November 1, 2002, in accordance with applicable statutes and regulations.

(h) For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1993, any residential care home with an operating cost component of its rate in excess of one hundred thirty per cent of the median of operating cost components of rates in effect January 1, 1992, shall not receive an operating cost component increase. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1993, any residential care home with an operating cost component of its rate that is less than one hundred thirty per cent of the median of operating cost components of rates in effect January 1, 1992, shall have an allowance for real wage growth equal to sixty-five per cent of the increase determined in accordance with subsection (q) of section 17-311-52 of the regulations of Connecticut state agencies, provided such operating cost component shall not exceed one hundred thirty per cent of the median of operating cost components in effect January 1, 1992. Beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 1993, for the purpose of determining allowable fair rent, a residential care home with allowable fair rent less than the twenty-fifth percentile of the state-wide allowable fair rent shall be reimbursed as having allowable fair rent equal to the twenty-fifth percentile of the state-wide allowable fair rent. Beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 1997, a residential care home with allowable fair rent less than three dollars and ten cents per day shall be reimbursed as having allowable fair rent equal to three dollars and ten cents per day. Property additions placed in service during the cost year ending September 30, 1996, or any succeeding cost year shall receive a fair rent allowance for such additions as an addition to three dollars and ten cents per day if the fair rent for the facility for property placed in service prior to September 30, 1995, is less than or equal to three dollars and ten cents per day. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, and any succeeding fiscal year, the allowance for real wage growth, as determined in accordance with subsection (q) of section 17-311-52 of the regulations

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of Connecticut state agencies, shall not be applied. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, and any succeeding fiscal year, the inflation adjustment made in accordance with subsection (p) of section 17-311-52 of the regulations of Connecticut state agencies shall not be applied to real property costs. Beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 1997, minimum allowable patient days for rate computation purposes for a residential care home with twenty-five beds or less shall be eighty-five per cent of licensed capacity. Beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002, for the purposes of determining the allowable salary of an administrator of a residential care home with sixty beds or less the department shall revise the allowable base salary to thirty-seven thousand dollars to be annually inflated thereafter in accordance with section 17-311-52 of the regulations of Connecticut state agencies. The rates for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002, shall be based upon the increased allowable salary of an administrator, regardless of whether such amount was expended in the 2000 cost report period upon which the rates are based. Beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2000, the inflation adjustment for rates made in accordance with subsection (p) of section 17-311-52 of the regulations of Connecticut state agencies shall be increased by two per cent, and beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002, the inflation adjustment for rates made in accordance with subsection (c) of said section shall be increased by one per cent. Beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 1999, for the purpose of determining the allowable salary of a related party, the department shall revise the maximum salary to twenty-seven thousand eight hundred fifty-six dollars to be annually inflated thereafter in accordance with section 17-311-52 of the regulations of Connecticut state agencies and beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001, such allowable salary shall be computed on an hourly basis and the maximum number of hours allowed for a related party other than the proprietor shall be increased from forty hours to forty-eight hours per work week.

Sec. 46. Subdivision (3) of subsection (a) of section 17b-427 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

1152 (3) "Medicare organization" means any corporate entity or other

- organization or group that contracts with the federal [Health Care
- 1154 Financing Administration] Centers for Medicare and Medicaid
- 1155 Services to provide health care services to Medicare beneficiaries in
- this state as an alternative to the traditional Medicare fee-for-service
- 1157 plan.
- Sec. 47. Subsection (b) of section 17b-529 of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 1160 passage):
- (b) Liability under this section for any violation, misstatement or
- omission exists only if the provider or person liable knew or should
- 1163 have known of the violation, [the] misstatement or omission.
- Sec. 48. Subsection (e) of section 19a-42 of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 1166 passage):
- (e) When the parent or parents of a child [requests] request the
- amendment of the child's birth certificate to reflect a new mother's
- 1169 name because the name on the original certificate is fictitious, such
- 1170 parent or parents shall obtain an order of a court of competent
- 1171 jurisdiction declaring the putative mother to be the child's mother.
- 1172 Upon receipt of a certified copy of such order, the department shall
- amend the child's birth certificate to reflect the mother's true name.
- 1174 Sec. 49. Section 19a-670a of the general statutes is repealed and the
- following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 1176 The Department of Social Services shall promptly apply to the
- 1177 federal [Health Care Financing Administration] Centers for Medicare
- and Medicaid Services for any necessary federal approval or a federal
- 1179 determination that no such approval is needed with respect to the
- provisions of sections 12-263a and 19a-670.
- Sec. 50. Section 20-278 of the general statutes is repealed and the
- following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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No person shall: (1) Buy, sell or fraudulently obtain or furnish any diploma, certificate, license, record or registration purporting to show that any person is qualified or authorized to practice electrology, or participate in any such act; (2) practice or attempt or offer to practice electrology under cover of any diploma, certificate, license, record or registration illegally or fraudulently obtained or signed, or issued unlawfully or under fraudulent representation or mistake of fact in a material regard; (3) practice or attempt or offer to practice electrology under a name other than such person's own name or under a false or assumed name; (4) aid or abet practice by a person not lawfully licensed to practice electrology within this state or by a person whose license to practice has been suspended or revoked; or (5) use in such person's advertising the word "electrologist" or any description of services involving permanent hair removal, without having obtained a license under the provisions of this chapter. No person shall, during the time such person's license is revoked or suspended, practice or attempt or offer or advertise to practice electrology or be employed by, work with or assist, in any way, any person licensed to practice electrology. Any person who violates any provision of this section shall be fined not more than one hundred dollars or imprisoned not more than thirty days, or both.

Sec. 51. Subsection (b) of section 20-340b of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(b) Notwithstanding any [provisions] <u>provision</u> of this chapter [,] to the contrary, a public service technician may be issued a certificate of registration by the Department of Consumer Protection, upon authorization of the Electrical Work Board, in lieu of any license which otherwise might be required under this chapter, which shall entitle the holder of such certificate to perform telecommunications electrical work only as provided in this section, provided the public service company, certified telecommunications provider or affiliate which employs the public service technician certifies to the Electrical Work Board that the employee has obtained such training and experience

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- 1218 telecommunications provider or affiliate to perform
- 1219 telecommunications electrical work included in such employee's job
- 1220 functions.
- Sec. 52. Subsection (k) of section 20-340b of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 1223 *passage*):
- (k) In lieu of displaying a contractor's license number pursuant to
- 1225 section 20-334, each public service company, certified
- telecommunications provider or affiliate authorized pursuant to this
- section to employ registered public service technicians shall display its
- name, logo or other trademark which clearly identifies the company or
- 1229 provider on all commercial vehicles used in its business and in a
- 1230 conspicuous manner on all printed advertisements, bid proposals,
- 1231 contracts [,] and invoices and on all stationery used in its business.
- Sec. 53. Subsection (d) of section 20-357m of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 1234 *passage*):
- 1235 (d) The commissioner shall issue a telecommunications
- 1236 infrastructure layout technician license to any individual who: (1)
- 1237 Completes a college level program or other program of instruction
- 1238 approved by the Department of Consumer Protection that assures
- 1239 industry standards in telecommunications infrastructure design; (2)
- 1240 submits an application pursuant to subsection (c) of this section
- deemed acceptable by the Commissioner of Consumer Protection; and
- 1242 (3) at the time of application, has held for not less than five years and
- 1243 continues to hold a valid unlimited or limited electrical license issued
- 1244 under the Electrical Work Board [,] or a public service technician
- 1245 certificate of registration issued pursuant to section 20-340b, or has
- 1246 other equivalent experience and training as required for an electrical
- license, as determined by the commissioner. A license issued pursuant
- to this subsection is nontransferable. The fee for a telecommunications
- 1249 infrastructure layout technician license is two hundred fifty dollars.

Such license shall be renewed biennially and the renewal fee is two hundred fifty dollars.

- Sec. 54. Subsection (b) of section 20-417b of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 1255 (b) Any person seeking a certificate of registration shall apply to the 1256 commissioner, in writing, on a form provided by the commissioner. 1257 The application shall include (1) the applicant's name, business street 1258 address [,] and business telephone number, (2) the identity of the 1259 insurer that provides the applicant with insurance coverage for 1260 liability, (3) if such applicant is required by any provision of the 1261 general statutes to have workers' compensation coverage, the identity 1262 of the insurer that provides the applicant with such workers' 1263 compensation coverage, and (4) if such applicant is required by any 1264 provision of the general statutes to have an agent for service of 1265 process, the name and address of such agent. Each such application 1266 shall be accompanied by a fee of one hundred twenty dollars, except 1267 that no such application fee shall be required if such person has paid 1268 the registration fee required under section 20-421 during any year in 1269 which such person's registration as a new home construction 1270 contractor would be valid.
- Sec. 55. Subdivision (7) of section 21a-7 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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(7) In addition to any other action permitted under the general statutes, each board or commission may upon a finding of any cause specified in subsection (c) of section 21a-9: (A) Revoke or suspend a license, registration or certificate; (B) issue a letter of reprimand to a practitioner and send a copy of such letter to a complainant or to a state or local official; (C) place a practitioner on probationary status and require the practitioner to (i) report regularly to the board or commission on the matter which is the basis for probation, (ii) limit the practitioner's practice to areas prescribed by the board or commission,

or [, to] (iii) continue or renew the practitioner's education until the practitioner has attained a satisfactory level of competence in any area which is the basis for probation. Each board or commission may discontinue, suspend or rescind any action taken under this subsection.

- Sec. 56. Subsection (f) of section 22a-63 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 1291 (f) Any person who is not certified as a commercial applicator who 1292 performs or advertises or solicits to perform commercial application of 1293 a pesticide, or any person possessing an operational certificate for 1294 commercial application under section 22a-54 who performs or 1295 advertises or solicits to perform any activity requiring a supervisory 1296 certificate for commercial application shall be assessed a civil penalty 1297 in an amount not less than one thousand dollars [nor] or more than 1298 two thousand dollars for each day such violation continues. For any 1299 subsequent violation, such penalty shall be not more than five 1300 thousand dollars. The Attorney General, upon complaint of the 1301 commissioner, may institute a civil action to recover such penalty in 1302 the superior court for the judicial district of Hartford. Any penalties 1303 under this subsection shall be deposited collected 1304 Environmental Quality Fund established under section 22a-27g and 1305 shall be used by the commissioner to carry out the purposes of this 1306 section.
- Sec. 57. Subsection (d) of section 22a-120 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- (d) The assistant attorney general or the special assistant attorney general appointed pursuant to subsection [(c)] (d) of section 16-50n shall have supervision of legal matters concerning the council.
- Sec. 58. Subdivision (1) of section 22a-134 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*

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(1) "Transfer of establishment" means any transaction or proceeding through which an establishment undergoes a change in ownership, but does not mean (A) conveyance or extinguishment of an easement, (B) conveyance of an establishment through a foreclosure, as defined in subsection (b) of section 22a-452f, (C) conveyance of a deed in lieu of foreclosure to a lender, as defined in and that qualifies for the secured lender exemption pursuant to subsection (b) of section 22a-452f, (D) conveyance of a security interest, as defined in subdivision (7) of subsection (b) of section 22a-452f, (E) termination of a lease and conveyance, assignment or execution of a lease for a period less than ninety-nine years including conveyance, assignment or execution of a lease with options or similar terms that will extend the period of the leasehold to ninety-nine years, or from the commencement of the leasehold, ninety-nine years, including conveyance, assignment or execution of a lease with options or similar terms that will extend the period of the leasehold to ninety-nine years, or from the [commence] commencement of the leasehold, (F) any change in ownership approved by the Probate Court, (G) devolution of title to a surviving joint tenant, or to a trustee, executor [,] or administrator under the terms of a testamentary trust or will, or by intestate succession, (H) corporate reorganization not substantially affecting the ownership of the establishment, (I) the issuance of stock or other securities of an entity which owns or operates an establishment, (J) the transfer of stock, securities or other ownership interests representing less than forty per cent of the ownership of the entity that owns or operates the establishment, (K) any conveyance of an interest in an establishment where the transferor is the sibling, spouse, child, parent, grandparent, child of a sibling or sibling of a parent of the transferee, (L) conveyance of an interest in an establishment to a trustee of an inter vivos trust created by the transferor solely for the benefit of one or more [of the] sibling, spouse, child, parent, grandchild, child of a sibling or sibling of a parent of the transferor, (M) any conveyance of a portion of a parcel upon which portion no establishment is or has been located and upon which there has not occurred a discharge, spillage, uncontrolled loss,

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seepage or filtration of hazardous waste, provided either the area of such portion is not greater than fifty per cent of the area of such parcel or written notice of such proposed conveyance and an environmental condition assessment form for such parcel is provided to the commissioner sixty days prior to such conveyance, (N) conveyance of a service station, as defined in subdivision (5) of this section, (O) any conveyance of an establishment which, prior to July 1, 1997, had been developed solely for residential use and such use has not changed, (P) any conveyance of an establishment to any entity created or operating under chapter 130 or 132, or to an urban rehabilitation agency, as defined in section 8-292, or to a municipality under section 32-224, or to the Connecticut Development Authority or any subsidiary of the authority, (Q) any conveyance of a parcel in connection with the acquisition of properties to effectuate the development of the overall project, as defined in section 32-651, (R) the conversion of a general or limited partnership to a limited liability company under section 34-199, (S) the transfer of general partnership property held in the names of all of its general partners to a general partnership which includes as general partners immediately after the transfer all of the same persons as were general partners immediately prior to the transfer, (T) the transfer of general partnership property held in the names of all of its general partners to a limited liability company which includes as members immediately after the transfer all of the same persons as were general partners immediately prior to the transfer, or (U) acquisition of an establishment by any governmental or quasi-governmental condemning authority.

Sec. 59. Subdivision (11) of section 22a-134 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(11) "Form II" means a written certification by the transferor of an establishment on a form prescribed and provided by the commissioner that the parcel has been investigated in accordance with prevailing standards and guidelines and that (A) any pollution caused by a discharge, spillage, uncontrolled loss, seepage or filtration of

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hazardous waste or a hazardous substance which has occurred from the establishment has been remediated in accordance with the remediation standards and that the remediation has been approved in writing by the commissioner or has been verified pursuant to section 22a-133x or section 22a-134a in a writing attached to such form by a licensed environmental professional to have been performed in accordance with the remediation standards, (B) the commissioner has determined in writing or a licensed environmental professional has verified pursuant to section 22a-133x or section 22a-134a in a writing attached to the form that no remediation is necessary to achieve compliance with the remediation standards, or (C) a Form IV was previously submitted to the commissioner and, since the date of the submission of said Form IV, no discharge, spillage, uncontrolled loss, seepage or filtration of hazardous waste or a hazardous substance has occurred at the establishment, which certification is based on an investigation of the parcel in accordance with prevailing standards and guidelines.

- Sec. 60. Subdivision (21) of section 22a-134 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- (21) "Business operation" means any business that has, or any series of substantially similar businesses that have, operated continuously or with only brief interruption on the same parcel, either with a single owner or successive owners.
- Sec. 61. Subdivision (24) of section 22a-134 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (24) "Hazardous substance" means hazardous substance, as defined in Section 101 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, 42 USC [Section] 9601, or a petroleum product or by-product for which there are remediation standards adopted pursuant to section 22a-133k or for which such remediation standards have a process for calculating the numeric

- 1417 criteria of such substance.
- Sec. 62. Subsection (l) of section 22a-134a of the general statutes is
- 1419 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 1420 *passage*):
- (l) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this section, no person
- shall be required to comply with the provisions of sections 22a-134 to
- 1423 22a-134e, inclusive, when transferring real property (1) (A) for which a
- 1424 Form I or Form II has been filed for the transfer of the parcel on or after
- October 1, 1995, or (B) for which parcel a Form III or Form IV has been
- 1426 filed and which has been remediated and such remediation has been
- 1427 approved in writing by the commissioner or has been verified in
- 1428 writing in accordance with this section by a licensed environmental
- 1429 professional that an investigation has been performed in accordance
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- been performed in accordance with the remediation standards, and (2)
- 1432 at which no activities described in subdivision (3) of section 22a-134
- 1433 have been conducted since the date of such approval or verification or
- the date on which the Form I or Form II was filed.
- Sec. 63. Subsection (d) of section 22a-163j of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 1437 *passage*):
- 1438 (d) The assistant attorney general or the special assistant attorney
- 1439 general appointed pursuant to subsection [(c)] (d) of section 16-50n
- shall have supervision of legal matters concerning the council.
- Sec. 64. Subdivision (24) of section 22a-207 of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 1443 *passage*):
- 1444 (24) "Wood-burning facility" means a facility, as defined in section
- 1445 16-50i, whose principal function is energy recovery from wood for
- 1446 commercial purposes. "Wood-burning facility" does not mean a
- 1447 biomass gasification plant that utilizes land clearing debris, tree

stumps or other biomass that regenerates, or the use of which will not result in a depletion of, resources.

- Sec. 65. Subdivision (1) of subsection (c) of section 22a-524 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 1453 (c) (1) Not later than March thirty-first, annually, the commissioner 1454 shall audit the performance of each publicly-owned treatment works 1455 operating from January first to December thirty-first of the preceding 1456 year and shall (A) determine the number of equivalent nitrogen credits 1457 for sale and the number of equivalent nitrogen credits to be purchased, 1458 (B) publish the annual value of equivalent nitrogen credits as 1459 determined by the procedure established in section 22a-527, and (C) 1460 notify each publicly-owned treatment works of [their] its equivalent 1461 nitrogen credit balance.
- Sec. 66. Subsection (c) of section 26-47 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 1465 (c) Any person who violates any provision of this section, or any 1466 condition under which a permit or license is issued, shall be fined not 1467 less than twenty-five dollars [nor] or more than two hundred dollars 1468 or be imprisoned not more than sixty days or be both fined and 1469 imprisoned; and any permit or license issued to such person, and all 1470 other such permits or licenses issued to any other person for such 1471 property, shall be revoked by the commissioner and the right to obtain 1472 such permit or license shall remain suspended for such period of time 1473 as the commissioner determines.
- Sec. 67. Section 27-19 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- The Military Department shall be under the charge of the Adjutant General. On or before July 1, 1980, the Governor shall appoint an Adjutant General with the rank of major general to serve for a term of

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two years from July 1, 1980. Quadrennially thereafter, the Governor shall appoint an Adjutant General with the rank of lieutenant general to serve for [the] a term of four years, from such first day of July and until a successor is appointed and qualified. The Adjutant General shall have had at least ten years' commissioned service in the armed forces of the United States. No person shall be appointed [nor] or continue to serve after reaching the age of sixty-four years. The Adjutant General may be suspended or removed by the Governor in accordance with the provisions of sections 4-11, 4-12 and 4-13.

Sec. 68. Subsection (a) of section 29-35 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(a) No person shall carry any pistol or revolver upon [one's] his or her person, except when such person is within the dwelling house or place of business of such person, without a permit to carry the same issued as provided in section 29-28. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to the carrying of any pistol or revolver by any parole officer or peace officer of this state, or parole officer or peace officer of any other state while engaged in the pursuit of official duties, or federal marshal or federal law enforcement agent, or to any member of the armed forces of the United States, as defined [by] in section 27-103, or of this state, as defined [by] in section 27-2, when on duty or going to or from duty, or to any member of any military organization when on parade or when going to or from any place of assembly, or to the transportation of pistols or revolvers as merchandise, or to any person transporting any pistol or revolver while contained in the package in which it was originally wrapped at the time of sale and while transporting the same from the place of sale to the purchaser's residence or place of business, or to any person removing such person's household goods or effects from one place to another, or to any person while transporting any such pistol or revolver from such person's place of residence or business to a place or individual where or by whom such pistol or revolver is to be repaired or while returning to such person's place of residence or business after the same has been

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repaired, or to any person transporting a pistol or revolver in or through the state for the purpose of taking part in competitions, taking part in formal pistol or revolver training, repairing such pistol or revolver or attending any meeting or exhibition of an organized collectors' group if such person is a bona fide resident of the United States and is permitted to possess and carry a pistol or revolver in the state or subdivision of the United States in which such person resides, or to any person transporting a pistol or revolver to and from a testing range at the request of the issuing authority, or to any person transporting an antique pistol or revolver, as defined in section 29-33. For the purposes of this subsection, "formal pistol or revolver training" means pistol or revolver training at a locally approved or permitted firing range or training facility, and "transporting a pistol or revolver" means transporting a pistol or revolver that is unloaded and, if such pistol or revolver is being transported in a motor vehicle, is not readily accessible or directly accessible from the passenger compartment of the vehicle or, if such pistol or revolver is being transported in a motor vehicle that does not have a compartment separate from the passenger compartment, such pistol or revolver shall be contained in a locked container other than the glove compartment or console. Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit the carrying of a pistol or revolver during formal pistol or revolver training or repair.

Sec. 69. Subdivision (4) of subsection (a) of section 30-64 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(4) Schedules of suggested prices shall be filed at the times and remain in effect for the periods fixed by the department, such periods not to exceed four months each. Within ten days after the filing of such schedules, the department shall make them or a composite thereof available for inspection by permittees. All schedules so filed shall be subject to public inspection, from the time that they are required to be made available for inspection to permittees. Each out-of-state shipper, manufacturer or [wholesale] wholesaler permittee shall retain in [his] such permittee's permit premises a copy of [his] such permittee's filed

schedules. Notice of all out-of-state shipper, manufacturer or wholesaler permittee prices, together with suggested consumer resale prices, shall be given by the out-of-state shipper, manufacturer or wholesaler permittee to permittee purchasers, either by direct mail or advertising in a trade publication having a circulation among the retail permittees.

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Sec. 70. Section 30-68l of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

No [wholesale] wholesaler permittee shall sell to any purchaser holding a permit for the sale of alcoholic liquor for on or off premises consumption at a price which is below [his] such wholesaler <u>permittee's</u> cost. For the purposes of this section, [cost] "cost" means: (1) On domestic alcoholic liquor bottled in the state, the total of (A) the cost of all ingredients, (B) all transportation charges from the point of origin to the point of destination, (C) all applicable federal and state taxes, and (D) the cost of containers, labels, caps, closures and all bottling charges and labor; (2) on imported alcoholic liquor bottled in the state, the total of (A) the invoice price from the supplier, (B) all other ingredients, (C) the cost of duties, (D) all applicable federal and state taxes, (E) insurance, (F) ocean freight and brokerage charges, (G) all transportation charges, and (H) the cost of containers, labels, caps, closures and all bottling charges and labor; (3) on domestic alcoholic liquors not bottled in this state, the total of (A) the posted price from the supplier to the wholesaler, (B) the cost of shipping or delivery charges to the wholesaler's place of business which were paid by the wholesaler in addition to the posted price, and (C) all applicable federal and state taxes paid by the wholesaler in addition to the posted price; (4) on imported alcoholic liquor not bottled in the state, the total of (A) the posted price from the supplier, (B) the cost of duties, insurance, ocean freight and brokerage charges and transportation charges paid by the wholesaler in addition to the posted price, and (C) all applicable federal and state taxes paid by the wholesaler in addition to the posted price. The provisions of this section shall not apply to sales of wine.

Sec. 71. Subdivision (2) of subsection (e) of section 30-86 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

- (2) In determining whether a permittee or permittee's agent or employee has proven the affirmative defense provided by subdivision (1) of this subsection, the trier of fact in such prosecution shall consider that reasonable reliance upon the identification presented and the completed transaction scan may require a permittee or permittee's agent or employee to exercise reasonable diligence and that the use of a transaction scan device does not excuse a permittee or permittee's agent or employee from exercising such reasonable diligence to determine the following: (A) Whether a person to whom the permittee or permittee's agent or employee sells, gives away or otherwise distributes alcoholic liquor is twenty-one years of age or older; and (B) whether the description and picture appearing on the driver's license or identity card presented by a cardholder [is that] are those of the cardholder.
- Sec. 72. Subdivision (5) of subsection (b) of section 31-3h of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (5) Implementing the federal Workforce Investment Act of 1998, P.L. 105-220, as from time to time amended. Such implementation shall include (A) developing, in consultation with the regional workforce development boards, a single Connecticut workforce development plan that (i) complies with the provisions of said act and section 31-11p, and (ii) includes comprehensive state performance measures for workforce development activities specified in Title I of the federal Workforce Investment Act of 1998, P.L. 105-220, as from time to time amended, which performance measures comply with the requirements of 20 CFR Part [666.10] 666.100, (B) preparing and submitting a report on the state's progress in achieving such performance measures to the Governor and the General Assembly annually on January thirty-first, (C) making recommendations to the General Assembly concerning the

allocation of funds received by the state under said act and making recommendations to the regional workforce development boards concerning the use of formulas in allocating such funds to adult employment and job training activities and youth activities, as specified in said act, (D) providing oversight and coordination of the state-wide employment statistics system required by said act, (E) as appropriate, recommending to the Governor that the Governor apply for workforce flexibility plans and waiver authority under said act, after consultation with the regional workforce development boards, (F) developing performance criteria for regional workforce development boards to utilize in creating a list of eligible providers, and (G) on or before December 31, 1999, developing a uniform individual training accounts voucher system that shall be used by the regional workforce development boards to pay for training of eligible workers by eligible providers, as required under said act.

- Sec. 73. Subsection (b) of section 31-4 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- (b) The commissioner shall produce printed material describing the rights of immigrant laborers or laborers who lack proficiency in the English language as employees under part III of chapter 557 [,] and chapters 558 and 567, and the commissioner shall provide such information to such laborers when they apply for benefits under chapter 567 or when they seek compliance with any provision under part III of chapter 557 or chapter 558. The commissioner shall, within available funds, make such information available to the public. The commissioner shall prevent illegal advantage being taken of such laborers by reason of their lack of information about their rights, credulity or lack of proficiency in the English language. The languages used in such printed material, in addition to Spanish and French, may be those languages determined by the commissioner to be spoken by the primary groups of immigrant laborers in the state.

Sec. 74. Subsection (c) of section 32-11a of the general statutes is

repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

1649 (c) The board of directors of the authority shall consist of the Commissioner of Economic and Community Development, the State 1650 1651 Treasurer [of the state] and the Secretary of the Office of Policy and 1652 Management, each serving ex officio, four members appointed by the 1653 Governor who shall be experienced in the field of financial lending or 1654 the development of commerce, trade and business and four members 1655 appointed as follows: One by the president pro tempore of the Senate, 1656 one by the minority leader of the Senate, one by the speaker of the 1657 House of Representatives and one by the minority leader of the House 1658 of Representatives. Each ex-officio member may designate a deputy or 1659 any member of the agency staff to represent the member at meetings of 1660 the authority with full powers to act and vote on the member's behalf. 1661 The chairperson of the board shall be appointed by the Governor, with 1662 the advice and consent of both houses of the General Assembly. The 1663 board shall annually elect one of its members as vice [chairman] 1664 chairperson. Each member appointed by the Governor shall serve at 1665 the pleasure of the Governor but no longer than the term of office of 1666 the Governor or until the member's successor is appointed and 1667 qualified, whichever is longer. Each member appointed by a member 1668 of the General Assembly shall serve in accordance with the provisions 1669 of section 4-1a. Members shall receive no compensation but shall be 1670 reimbursed for necessary expenses incurred in the performance of 1671 their duties under the authority legislation, as defined in subsection 1672 (hh) of section 32-23d. The Governor shall fill any vacancy for the 1673 unexpired term of a member appointed by the Governor. The 1674 appropriate legislative appointing authority shall fill any vacancy for 1675 the unexpired term of a member appointed by such authority. A member of the board shall be eligible for reappointment. Any member 1676 1677 of the board may be removed by the Governor for misfeasance, 1678 malfeasance or wilful neglect of duty. Each member of the authority 1679 before entering upon his or her duties shall take and subscribe the oath 1680 or affirmation required by article XI, section 1, of the State 1681 Constitution. A record of each such oath shall be filed in the office of

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the Secretary of the State. Meetings of the board shall be held at such times as shall be specified in the bylaws adopted by the board and at such other time or times as the [chairman] chairperson deems necessary. The board is empowered to adopt bylaws and regulations for putting into effect the provisions of said chapters and sections. Not later than November first, annually, the authority shall submit a report to the Commissioner of Economic and Community Development, the Auditors of Public Accounts and the joint standing committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to the Community Department Economic Development, of and appropriations and capital bonding, which shall include the following information with respect to new and outstanding financial assistance provided by the authority during the twelve-month period ending on June thirtieth next preceding the date of the report for each financial assistance program administered by the authority: (1) A list of the names, addresses and locations of all recipients of such assistance, (2) for each recipient: (A) The business activities, (B) the Standard Industrial Classification Manual codes, (C) the gross revenues during the recipient's most recent fiscal year, (D) the number of employees at the time of application, (E) whether the recipient is a minority or [women-owned] woman-owned business, (F) a summary of the terms and conditions for the assistance, including the type and amount of state financial assistance, job creation or retention requirements, and anticipated wage rates, and (G) the amount of investments from private and other nonstate sources that have been leveraged by the assistance, (3) the economic benefit criteria used in determining which applications have been approved or disapproved, and (4) for each recipient of assistance on or after July 1, 1991, a comparison between the number of jobs to be created, the number of jobs to be retained and the average wage rates for each such category of jobs, as projected in the recipient's application, versus the actual number of jobs created, the actual number of jobs retained and the average wage rates for each such category. The report shall also indicate the actual number of fulltime jobs and the actual number of part-time jobs in each such category and the benefit levels for each such subcategory. In addition, the report

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shall state (A) for each final application approved during the twelvemonth period covered by the report, (i) the date that the final application was received by the authority, and (ii) the date of such approval; (B) for each final application withdrawn during the twelvemonth period covered by the report, (i) the municipality in which the applicant is located, (ii) the Standard Industrial Classification Manual code for the applicant, (iii) the date that the final application was received by the authority, and (iv) the date of such withdrawal; (C) for each final application disapproved during the twelve-month period covered by the report, (i) the municipality in which the applicant is located, (ii) the Standard Industrial Classification Manual code for the applicant, (iii) the date that the final application was received by the authority, and (iv) the date of such disapproval; and (D) for each final application on which no action has been taken by the applicant or the agency in the twelve-month period covered by the report and for which no report has been submitted under this subsection, (i) the municipality in which the applicant is located, (ii) the Standard Industrial Classification Manual code for the applicant, and (iii) the date that the final application was received by the authority. The November first report shall include a summary of the activities of the authority, including all activities to assist small businesses and minority business enterprises, as defined in section 4a-60g, a complete operating and financial statement and recommendations for legislation to promote the purposes of the authority. The authority shall furnish such additional reports upon the written request of any such committee at such times and containing such information as the committee may request. The accounts of the authority shall be subject to annual audit by the state Auditors of Public Accounts. The authority may cause an audit of its books and accounts to be made at least once each fiscal year by certified public accountants. The powers of the authority shall be vested in and exercised by not less than six of the members of the board of directors then in office. Such number of members shall constitute a quorum and the affirmative vote of a majority of the members present at a meeting of the board shall be necessary for any action taken by the authority. No vacancy in the

membership of the board shall impair the right to exercise all the rights and perform all the duties of the authority. Any action taken by the board under the provisions of said chapters and sections may be authorized by resolution at any regular or special meeting, and each such resolution shall take effect immediately and need not be published or posted. The authority shall be exempt from the provisions of section 4-9a.

- Sec. 75. Subdivision (6) of subsection (l) of section 32-11a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- (6) The authority may make loans or grants to, and may guarantee specified obligations of, any [each] such subsidiary, following standard authority procedures, from the authority's assets and the proceeds of its bonds, notes, and other obligations, provided however, that the source and security, if any, for the repayment of any such loans or guarantees is derived from the assets, revenues and resources of such subsidiary.
- Sec. 76. Section 32-23h of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

The exercise of the powers granted by the authority legislation, as defined in subsection (hh) of section 32-23d, shall constitute the performance of an essential governmental function and the authority shall not be required to pay any taxes or assessments upon or in respect of a project, or any property or moneys of the authority, levied by any municipality or political subdivision or special district having taxing powers of the state, nor shall the authority be required to pay state taxes of any kind, and the authority, its projects, property and moneys and any bonds and notes issued under the provisions of said chapters and sections, their transfer and the income therefrom, including any profit made on the sale thereof, shall at all times be free from taxation of every kind by the state except for estate or succession taxes and by the municipalities and all other political subdivisions or special districts having taxing powers of the state; provided any

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person [,] leasing a project from the authority shall pay to the municipality, or other political subdivision or special district having taxing powers, in which such project is located, a payment in lieu of taxes which shall equal the taxes on real and personal property, including water and sewer assessments, which such lessee would have been required to pay had it been the owner of such property during the period for which such payment is made and neither the authority nor its projects, properties, money or bonds and notes shall be obligated, liable or subject to lien of any kind for the enforcement, collection or payment thereof. The sale of tangible personal property or services by the authority is exempt from the sales tax under chapter 219, and the storage, use or other consumption in this state of tangible personal property or services purchased from the authority is exempt from the use tax under chapter 219. If and to the extent the proceedings under which the bonds authorized to be issued under the provisions of said chapters and sections so provide, the authority may agree to cooperate with the lessee of a project in connection with any administrative or judicial proceedings for determining the validity or amount of such payments and may agree to appoint or designate and reserve the right in and for such lessee to take all action which the authority may lawfully take in respect of such payments and all matters relating thereto, provided such lessee shall bear and pay all costs and expenses of the authority thereby incurred at the request of such lessee or by reason of any such action taken by such lessee in behalf of the authority. Any lessee of a project which has paid the amounts in lieu of taxes required by this section to be paid shall not be required to pay any such taxes in which a payment in lieu thereof has been made to the state or to any such municipality or other political subdivision or special district having taxing powers, any other statute to the contrary notwithstanding. Any industrial pollution control facility financed under said chapters and sections shall be subject to such approvals, as may be required by law, of any agency of the state and any agency of the United States having jurisdiction in the matter and, in the discretion of the authority, may be acquired, constructed or improved as part of or jointly with a pollution control facility

undertaken by a municipality or political subdivision or special district

- 1821 having taxing powers in the state and the authority is authorized to
- 1822 cooperate and execute contracts with such a municipality or political
- 1823 subdivision or special district.
- Sec. 77. Subsection (b) of section 32-23yy of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
- 1826 *passage*):
- 1827 (b) There is created within the authority the High-Technology
- 1828 Infrastructure Fund. The state, acting through the authority, may
- 1829 provide financial assistance from [such] <u>said</u> fund that enables the
- 1830 development of information technology projects. Such financial
- assistance may be provided directly or in participation with any other
- 1832 financial institutions, funds or other persons or other sources of
- 1833 financing, public or private, and the authority may enter into any
- 1834 agreements or contracts it deems necessary or convenient in
- 1835 connection therewith. Payments of principal, interest or other forms of
- return on investment received by the authority shall be deposited in or
- 1837 held on behalf of said fund.
- 1838 Sec. 78. Subsection (a) of section 32-227 of the general statutes is
- 1839 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 1840 passage):
- (a) For the purpose of carrying out or administering a municipal or
- 1842 business development project, (1) a municipality, acting by and
- through its implementing agency, may, subject to the limitations and
- 1844 procedures set forth in this section, issue from time to time bonds of
- the municipality, and (2) the Connecticut Development Authority may,
- 1846 upon a resolution adopted [of] by the legislative body of the
- 1847 municipality, issue from time to time bonds which, in either case, are
- payable solely or in part from and secured by: (A) A pledge of and lien
- 1849 upon any or all of the income, proceeds, revenues and property of
- 1850 development projects, including the proceeds of grants, loans,
- advances or contributions from the federal government, the state or
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municipality or any other public body pursuant to sections 32-220 to 32-234, inclusive; (B) taxes or payments in lieu of taxes, or both, in whole or in part, allocated to and paid into a special fund of the municipality or the Connecticut Development Authority pursuant to the provisions of subsection (c) of this section; or (C) any combination of the methods in subparagraphs (A) and (B) of this [section] subdivision. Any bonds payable and secured as provided in this subsection shall be authorized by, and the appropriation of the proceeds thereof approved by and subject to, a resolution adopted by the legislative body of the municipality, notwithstanding the provisions of any other statute, local law or charter governing the authorization and issuance of bonds and the appropriation of the proceeds thereof generally by the municipality. No such resolution shall be adopted until after a public hearing has been held upon such authorization. Notice of such hearing shall be published not less than five days prior to such hearing in a newspaper having a general circulation in the municipality. Any such bonds of a municipality or the Connecticut Development Authority shall be issued and sold in such manner; bear interest at such rate or rates, including variable rates; provide for the payment of interest on such dates, whether before or at maturity; be issued at, above or below par; mature at such time or times not exceeding thirty years from their date; have such rank or priority; be payable in such medium of payment; be issued in such form, including, without limitation, registered or book-entry form; carry such registration and transfer privileges and be made subject to purchase or redemption before maturity at such price or prices and under such terms and conditions, including the condition that such bonds be subject to purchase or redemption on the demand of the owner thereof; and contain such other terms and particulars as the legislative body of the municipality or the officers delegated such authority by the legislative body of the municipality shall determine. Any such bonds of the Connecticut Development Authority shall be issued and sold in the manner and subject to the general terms and provisions of law applicable to issuance of bonds by the Connecticut Development Authority, except that the provisions of subsection (b) of

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section 32-23j shall not apply. The proceedings under which bonds are authorized to be issued may, subject to the provisions of indenture or to any other depository agreement, provide for the method of disbursement thereof, with such safeguards and restrictions as it may determine. Any pledge made by the municipality or the Connecticut Development Authority for bonds issued as provided in this subsection shall be valid and binding from the time when the pledge is made, and any revenues or other receipts, funds or moneys so pledged and thereafter received by the municipality or the Connecticut Development Authority shall be subject to the lien of such pledge without any physical delivery thereof or further act. The lien of any such pledge shall be valid and binding as against all parties having claims of any kind in tort, contract or otherwise against the municipality or Connecticut Development Authority, irrespective of whether such parties have notice of such lien. Neither the resolution nor any other instrument by which a pledge is created need be recorded. All expenses incurred in carrying out such financing may be treated as project costs. Such bonds shall not be included in computing the aggregate indebtedness of the municipality, provided, if such bonds are made payable, in whole or in part, from funds contracted to be advanced by the municipality, the aggregate amount of such funds not yet appropriated to such purpose shall be included in computing the aggregate indebtedness of the municipality. As used in this section, "bonds" means any bonds, including refunding bonds, notes, temporary notes, interim certificates, debentures or other obligations. Temporary notes issued in accordance with this subsection in anticipation of the receipt of the proceeds of bond issues may be issued for a period of not more than five years, and notes issued for a shorter period of time may be renewed by the issue of other notes, provided the period from the date of the original notes to the maturity of the last notes issued in renewal thereof shall not exceed five years. For purposes of this section, references to the Connecticut Development Authority shall include any subsidiary of the Connecticut Development Authority established pursuant to subsection (I) of section 32-11a.

Sec. 79. Section 35-2 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

No partnership, common law trust or association, or individual using a trade name, shall use, either as a part of its name or as a prefix or suffix thereto or as a designation of the business carried on by it, the word "bank", "banking", "banker", "bankers", "trust" or "savings", provided either the word "bankers" or the word "trust" may be so used when qualified and immediately preceded by the word "investment", but not followed by the word "company" or "corporation". The provisions of this section shall not apply to any charitable or athletic association. No provision of this section shall prevent any savings and loan association organized under the provisions of [section 36a-85] part I of chapter 664b from using the term "savings" either as a part of its name or as a prefix or suffix thereto or as a designation of the business carried on by it.

- Sec. 80. Subdivision (3) of subsection (s) of section 36a-70 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (3) The state, acting through the State Treasurer, may be the sole organizer of a community development bank or may participate with any other person or persons in the organization of any community development bank, and may own all or a part of any capital stock of such bank. No application fee shall be required under subparagraph [(E)] (H) of subdivision (1) of subsection (d) of section 36a-65 and no franchise tax shall be required under subsection (o) of this section for any community development bank organized by or in participation with the state.
- Sec. 81. Section 36a-215 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 1952 If, in the opinion of the commissioner, a Connecticut bank 1953 organized to function solely in a fiduciary capacity, or an uninsured 1954 bank in danger of becoming insolvent, is not likely to be able to meet

the demands of its depositors, in the case of an uninsured bank, or pay its obligations in the normal course of business, or is likely to incur losses that may deplete all or substantially all of its capital, the commissioner may require such Connecticut bank organized to function solely in a fiduciary capacity or uninsured bank to keep assets on deposit in an amount that would be sufficient to meet the costs and expenses incurred by the commissioner pursuant to section 36a-223 and all fees and assessments due the commissioner. Such assets shall be deposited with such bank as the commissioner may designate, and shall be in such form and subject to such conditions as the commissioner deems necessary. For purposes of this section, "uninsured bank" has the meaning given to that term in subsection (t) of section 36a-70.

- Sec. 82. Subsection (b) of section 36a-352 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (b) Such bank, in the absence of an express provision to the contrary in the instrument or court order creating such fiduciary relationship, may cause stocks and other securities held by it or in its custody as a fiduciary, whether alone or jointly with cofiduciaries, to be registered and held in the name of a nominee or nominees of such bank without mention of such fiduciary relationship, provided every cofiduciary of such fiduciary account shall give his prior written consent. A fiduciary shall retain possession of such stocks and other securities so held and shall maintain adequate records indicating the correct ownership thereof except that such bank may deposit stock or other securities so held in a clearing corporation as defined in [subsection (3)] subdivision (5) of subsection (a) of section 42a-8-102. The fiduciary shall be personally liable for any loss occasioned by the acts of any nominee of such bank in connection with the holding of stock and other securities in the name of such nominee.
 - Sec. 83. Subsection (d) of section 36a-436a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*

- 1988 passage):
- (d) The fee payable to the Secretary of the State for preparing and
- 1990 furnishing a copy of any document, instrument or paper filed or
- recorded relating to a credit union shall be: (1) For each copy of each
- document thereof regardless of the number of pages, twenty dollars;
- 1993 and (2) for affixing the official seal thereto, five dollars.
- 1994 Sec. 84. Subdivision (10) of section 36a-598 of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 1996 *passage*):
- 1997 (10) A statement of whether the applicant will engage in the
- 1998 business of issuing money orders, travelers checks [,] or electronic
- 1999 payment instruments or engage in the business of money transmission
- 2000 in this state.
- Sec. 85. Subsection (b) of section 36a-770 of the general statutes is
- 2002 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 2003 passage):
- 2004 (b) Filing and recording. Section 42a-9-310 determines the need for
- 2005 filing or recording to perfect a security interest, section 42a-9-317, the
- 2006 persons who take subject to an unperfected security interest, and
- 2007 sections 42a-9-311 and 42a-9-501 to [42a-9-518] 42a-9-526, inclusive, the
- 2008 place for such filing or recording.
- Sec. 86. Subsection (c) of section 36a-771 of the general statutes is
- 2010 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 2011 *passage*):
- 2012 (c) Retail installment contracts shall contain the following
- statements, printed in a size equal to at least ten-point bold type: (1) At
- 2014 the top of the contract, the words "RETAIL INSTALLMENT
- 2015 CONTRACT" or "RETAIL INSTALMENT CONTRACT"; (2) a definite
- statement that the insurance, if any, included in the retail installment
- sale provides or does not provide coverage for personal liability and
- 2018 property damage caused to others, as the case may be; (3) the

2019 following notice directly above the space reserved for the signature of 2020 the buyer: "NOTICE TO THE BUYER: 1. Do not sign this contract 2021 before you read it or if it contains any blank space. 2. You are entitled 2022 to a completely filled-in copy of the contract when you sign it. 3. Under 2023 the law, you have the following rights, among others: (a) To pay off in 2024 advance the full amount due and obtain a partial refund of any 2025 unearned finance charge; (b) to redeem the property if repossessed for 2026 a default; (c) to require, under certain conditions, a resale of the 2027 property if repossessed." [Until October 1, 1982, any retail seller may, 2028 at his option, use the notice required by the provisions of this section 2029 in effect prior to May 18, 1981.]

Sec. 87. Subdivision (1) of subsection (e) of section 36b-15 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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- (e) (1) Withdrawal from registration as a broker-dealer, agent, investment adviser or investment adviser agent, or withdrawal of an application for registration as a broker-dealer, agent, investment adviser or investment adviser agent, becomes effective ninety days after receipt of an application to withdraw such registration or a notice of intent to withdraw such application for registration or within such shorter period of time as the commissioner may determine, unless a denial, revocation or suspension proceeding is pending when the application or notice is filed or a proceeding to deny, revoke, suspend or [to] impose conditions upon the withdrawal is instituted within ninety days after the application or notice is filed. If a proceeding is pending or instituted, withdrawal becomes effective at such time and upon such conditions as the commissioner by order determines. If no proceeding is pending or instituted and withdrawal automatically becomes effective, the commissioner may nevertheless institute a denial, revocation or suspension proceeding under subsection (a) of this section within one year after withdrawal became effective.
- Sec. 88. Subdivision (1) of section 36b-41 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*

2052 *passage*):

2053 (1) "Target company" means any stock corporation which is 2054 organized under the laws of this state, has its principal executive office 2055 in this state and has, on a consolidated basis, five hundred or more 2056 employees and fifty million dollars of tangible assets in this state, other 2057 than: (A) A domestic insurance company, as defined in [subsection (b) 2058 of section 38a-1; (B) a bank as defined in subdivision (3) of subsection 2059 (a) of section 36-419*, or a bank holding company, as defined in 2060 subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of section 36-419*; (C) a public utility 2061 company or a holding company, as defined in Section 2 of the Federal 2062 Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, presently constituted as 2063 Section 79b of Title 15 of the United States Code, an acquisition of or 2064 by, or merger with which, is subject to approval by the appropriate 2065 federal agency as provided in said act; (D) a bank or bank holding 2066 company subject to the Federal Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, 2067 presently constituted as Section 1841 et seq. of Title 12 of the United 2068 States Code, an acquisition of or by, or merger with which, is subject to 2069 approval by the appropriate federal agency as provided in said act; or 2070 (E) a savings and loan holding company, as defined in Section 2 of the 2071 Federal Savings and Loan Holding Company Amendments of 1967, 2072 presently constituted as Section 1730a** of Title 12 of the United States 2073 Code, an acquisition of or by, or merger with which, is subject to 2074 approval by the appropriate federal agency as provided in said act.

- Sec. 89. Subdivision (5) of subsection (a) of section 38a-193 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 2078 (5) Each health care center that offers or proposes to offer out-of-2079 network benefits shall either:
- 2080 (A) Enter into an agreement with a duly licensed insurance 2081 company to provide coverage to subscribers and enrollees outside of 2082 the health care center's established network, subject to approval by the 2083 commissioner; or

(B) Implement an out-of-network benefit system to be operated by the health care center, subject to approval by the commissioner, provided the health care center establishes and maintains its net worth at an amount equal to the greater of (i) three million dollars, (ii) two per cent of its annual premium revenues as reported on the most recent annual financial statement filed with the commissioner on the first one hundred fifty million dollars of premium revenues plus one per cent of annual premium revenues in excess of one hundred fifty million dollars, or (iii) two months of its cost of uncovered expenditures. For purposes of this subsection, "annual premium revenues" does not include revenue earned as a result of an arrangement between a health care center and the federal [Health Care Financing Administration] Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, on a cost or risk basis, for services to a Medicare beneficiary, or revenue earned as a result of an arrangement between a health care center and a Medicaid state agency, for services to a Medicaid beneficiary. For the purposes of this subsection, the uncovered expenditures of the health care center for the requisite two-month period shall be calculated as follows:

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2104 UE = Uncovered expenditures of the health care center for the requisite two-month period.

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2109 Y = Total year-to-date uncovered expenditures reported in the

- 2110 health care center's annual statement for the prior calendar year.
- Z = Total year-to-date uncovered expenditures reported in the
- 2112 health care center's statutory quarterly or annual statement for the
- 2113 current calendar quarter of the prior calendar year.
- Sec. 90. Section 45a-3 of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 2115 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 2116 The town of Griswold shall, on [or] and after the first Wednesday
- 2117 following the first Monday of January, 1979, constitute a probate
- 2118 district by the name of the probate district of Griswold. In 1978, and
- 2119 quadrennially thereafter, a judge of probate for [such] said district
- shall be elected at the time and in the manner provided by law for the
- 2121 election of judges of probate. From and after the first Wednesday
- 2122 following the first Monday of January, 1979, the probate court for the
- 2123 district of Griswold, shall have the jurisdiction of all probate business
- 2124 arising in the town of Griswold, but all business previously entered or
- 2125 begun in the probate court for the district of Norwich shall be
- 2126 completed in the same manner as if this section had not been passed.
- Sec. 91. Section 45a-4 of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 2128 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- The towns of West Hartford and Bloomfield shall, on [or] and after
- 2130 the first Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1983,
- 2131 constitute a probate district by the name of the probate district of West
- 2132 Hartford. In 1982, and quadrennially thereafter, a judge of probate for
- 2133 [such] said district shall be elected at the time and in the manner
- 2134 provided by law for the election of judges of probate. From and after
- 2135 the <u>first</u> Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1983, the
- 2136 probate court for the district of West Hartford shall have the
- 2137 jurisdiction of all probate business arising in the towns of West
- 2138 Hartford and Bloomfield, but all business previously entered or begun
- 2139 in the probate court for the district of Hartford shall be completed in
- 2140 the same manner as if this section had not been passed.

Sec. 92. Section 45a-5 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

2143 The town of Woodbridge shall, on [or] and after the first 2144 Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1987, constitute a 2145 probate district by the name of the probate district of Woodbridge. In 2146 1986, and quadrennially thereafter, a judge of probate for [such] said 2147 district shall be elected at the time and in the manner provided by law 2148 for the election of judges of probate. From and after the first 2149 Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1987, the probate 2150 court for the district of Woodbridge [,] shall have the jurisdiction of all 2151 probate business arising in the town of Woodbridge, but all business 2152 previously entered or begun in the probate court for the district of 2153 New Haven shall be completed in the same manner as if this section 2154 had not been passed.

Sec. 93. Section 45a-6 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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The town of Bloomfield shall, on [or] <u>and</u> after the <u>first</u> Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1991, constitute a probate district by the name of the probate district of Bloomfield. In 1990, and quadrennially thereafter, a judge of probate for [such] <u>said</u> district shall be elected at the time and in the manner provided by law for the election of judges of probate. From and after the <u>first</u> Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1991, the probate court for the district of Bloomfield shall have the jurisdiction of all probate business arising in the town of Bloomfield, but all business previously entered or begun in the probate court for the district of West Hartford shall be completed in the same manner as if this section had not been passed.

Sec. 94. Section 45a-6a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

The towns of Chaplin and Eastford shall, on [or] <u>and</u> after the first Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1999, constitute a probate district by the name of the probate district of Eastford. In 1998,

and quadrennially thereafter, a judge of probate for [such] <u>said</u> district shall be elected at the time and in the manner provided by law for the election of judges of probate. From and after the <u>first</u> Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1999, the probate court for the district of Eastford shall have the jurisdiction of all probate business arising in the towns of Chaplin and Eastford.

- Sec. 95. Section 45a-6b of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 2181 The towns of Stafford, Somers and Union shall, on [or] and after the 2182 first Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1999, 2183 constitute a probate district by the name of the probate district of 2184 Stafford. In 1998, and quadrennially thereafter, a judge of probate for 2185 [such] said district shall be elected at the time and in the manner 2186 provided by law for the election of judges of probate. From and after 2187 the first Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1999, the 2188 probate court for the district of Stafford shall have the jurisdiction of 2189 all probate business arising in the towns of Stafford, Somers and 2190 Union.
- Sec. 96. Section 45a-6c of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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- The towns of Coventry and Mansfield shall, on [or] <u>and</u> after the first Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1999, constitute a probate district by the name of the probate district of Mansfield. In 1998, and quadrennially thereafter, a judge of probate for [such] <u>said</u> district shall be elected at the time and in the manner provided by law for the election of judges of probate. From and after the <u>first</u> Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1999, the probate court for the district of Mansfield shall have the jurisdiction of all probate business arising in the towns of Coventry and Mansfield.
- Sec. 97. Section 45a-6d of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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The towns of New Hartford, Barkhamsted and Hartland shall, on and after the first Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 2003, constitute a probate district by the name of the probate district of New Hartford. In 2002, and quadrennially thereafter, a judge of probate for [such] said district shall be elected at the time and in the manner provided by law for the election of judges of probate. From and after the first Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 2003, the probate court for the district of New Hartford shall have the jurisdiction of all probate business arising in the towns of New Hartford, Barkhamsted and Hartland.

Sec. 98. Subsection (b) of section 45a-207 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(b) A foreign corporation which is appointed to act in this state pursuant to the provisions of section 45a-206, owning stock as a trustee, may deposit or arrange for the deposit of such stock or other securities in a clearing corporation, as defined in [section 42a-8-102(3)] subdivision (5) of subsection (a) of section 42a-8-102, and may hold it in the name of a nominee, including the nominee of such clearing corporation, without mention of the trust in the stock certificate or stock registration book; provided (1) the trust records and all reports or accounts rendered by the trustee clearly show the ownership of the stock by the trustee and the facts regarding its holding; and (2) except for stock and other securities deposited in a clearing corporation, the nominee shall deposit with the trustee a signed statement showing the trust ownership, shall either endorse the stock certificate in blank or execute a power of attorney for transfer in blank, and shall not have possession of the stock certificate or access thereto except under the immediate supervision of the trustee. The trustee shall be personally liable for any loss to the trust resulting from any act of such nominee in connection with stock so held. If such foreign corporation is acting as trustee with one or more cotrustees, it shall secure, in advance, the consent, in writing, of such cotrustee or cotrustees to the registration of stock in the name of a nominee, and such cotrustees are authorized to

consent thereto. [The word "trustee" as] As used in this section,

"trustee" includes executors and testamentary trustees of the estates of
any residents of this state or of any nonresidents leaving property
within this state.

- Sec. 99. Subsection (a) of section 45a-208 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 2245 (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any fiduciary, as 2246 defined in [sections] subsection (a) of section 45a-233 and subdivision 2247 (2) of [subsection (a) of] section 36a-365, holding securities in its 2248 fiduciary capacity, or any state bank, trust company or national bank 2249 holding securities as a custodian, managing agent or custodian for a 2250 fiduciary, is authorized to deposit or arrange for the deposit of such 2251 securities in a clearing corporation, as defined in [subsection (3)] 2252 subdivision (5) of subsection (a) of section 42a-8-102. When such 2253 securities are so deposited, certificates representing securities of the 2254 same class of the same issuer may be merged and held in bulk in the 2255 name of the nominee of such clearing corporation with any other such 2256 securities deposited in such clearing corporation by any person 2257 regardless of the ownership of such securities, and certificates of small 2258 denomination may be merged into one or more certificates of larger 2259 denomination. The records of such fiduciary and the records of such 2260 state bank, trust company or national bank acting as a custodian, [as] 2261 managing agent or [as] custodian for a fiduciary shall at all times show 2262 the name of the party for whose account the securities are so 2263 deposited. Title to such securities may be transferred by bookkeeping entry on the books of such clearing corporation without physical 2264 2265 delivery of certificates representing such securities. A state bank, trust 2266 company or national bank so depositing securities pursuant to this 2267 section shall be subject to [the] such rules and regulations as, in the 2268 case of state chartered institutions, the [state] Commissioner of 2269 Banking, and in the case of national banking associations, the 2270 Comptroller of the Currency, may from time to time issue. A state 2271 bank, trust company or national bank, acting as custodian for a

2272 fiduciary, shall, on demand by the fiduciary, certify in writing to the 2273 fiduciary the securities so deposited by such state bank, trust company 2274 or national bank in such clearing corporation for the account of such 2275 fiduciary. A fiduciary shall, on demand by any party to a judicial 2276 proceeding for the settlement of such fiduciary's account or on 2277 demand by the attorney for such party, certify in writing to such party 2278 the securities deposited by such fiduciary in such clearing corporation 2279 for its account as such fiduciary.

Sec. 100. Subsection (e) of section 46a-84 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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- 2283 (e) A hearing officer, hearing adjudicator, human rights referee or 2284 attorney who volunteers service pursuant to subdivision [(16)] (18) of 2285 section 46a-54 may supervise settlement endeavors, or, in employment 2286 discrimination cases only, the complainant and respondent, with the 2287 permission of the commission, may engage in alternate dispute 2288 resolution endeavors for not more than three months. The cost of such 2289 alternate dispute resolution endeavors shall be borne by the 2290 complainant or the respondent or both and not by the commission. 2291 Any endeavors or negotiations for conciliation, settlement or alternate 2292 dispute resolution shall not be received in evidence.
- Sec. 101. Section 46b-1 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

Matters within the jurisdiction of the Superior Court deemed to be family relations matters shall be matters affecting or involving: (1) Dissolution of marriage, contested and uncontested, except dissolution upon conviction of crime as provided in section 46b-47; (2) legal separation; (3) annulment of marriage; (4) alimony, support, custody and change of name incident to dissolution of marriage, legal separation and annulment; (5) actions brought under section 46b-15; (6) complaints for change of name; (7) civil support obligations; (8) habeas corpus and other proceedings to determine the custody and visitation of children; (9) habeas corpus brought by or [in] on behalf of

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any mentally ill person except a person charged with a criminal offense; (10) appointment of a commission to inquire whether a person is wrongfully confined as provided by section 17a-523; (11) juvenile matters as provided in section 46b-121; (12) all rights and remedies provided for in chapter 815j; (13) the establishing of paternity; (14) appeals from probate concerning: [(a)] (A) Adoption or termination of parental rights; [(b)] (B) appointment and removal of guardians; [(c)] (C) custody of a minor child; [(d)] (D) appointment and removal of conservators; [(e)] (E) orders for custody of any child; [(f)] and (F) orders of commitment of persons to public and private institutions and to other appropriate facilities as provided by statute; (15) actions related to prenuptial and separation agreements and to matrimonial decrees of a foreign jurisdiction; (16) custody proceeding brought under the provisions of chapter [8150] 815p; and (17) all such other matters within the jurisdiction of the Superior Court concerning children or family relations as may be determined by the judges of said court.

- Sec. 102. Subsections (b) and (c) of section 46b-16 of the general statutes are repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (b) If the court finds that there is a substantial likelihood that the child will be removed from the jurisdiction of the court prior to a hearing to determine custody, an order of temporary custody may be issued ex parte by the court granting the temporary care and custody of the child to a suitable person or agency pending a hearing to determine custody pursuant to chapter 815j or [8150] 815p. Such hearing shall be held not more than five days from the issuance of the ex parte order [nor] or less than three days from the return of service, whichever is later.
 - (c) If the parent or relative arrested for violation of section 53a-97 or 53a-98 is in custody of the state, the state shall produce such parent or relative for the hearing to determine custody of the child pursuant to chapter 815j or [815o] <u>815p</u>.

Sec. 103. Subsection (a) of section 46b-26 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

- (a) No license may be issued by any registrar until there has been filed with [him] <u>such registrar</u>, for each applicant, a statement signed by a physician licensed to practice medicine or osteopathy in any state or territory of the United States, the District of Columbia or any province of Canada, an advanced practice registered nurse licensed pursuant to chapter 378, a nurse-midwife licensed pursuant to chapter 370, or a physician assistant [license] <u>licensed</u> pursuant to chapter 370, or by a commissioned medical officer in the armed forces or the Public Health Service of the United States, that the applicant has submitted to a standard laboratory blood test, that, if the test was positive, the person has submitted to a physical examination of the skin and appropriate mucous membranes, and that, in the opinion of such physician, advanced practice registered nurse, nurse-midwife or physician assistant, the person is not infected with syphilis or in a stage of that disease that is communicable.
- Sec. 104. Subsection (a) of section 46b-46 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (a) On a complaint for dissolution, annulment, legal separation or custody, if the defendant resides out of or is absent from the state or the whereabouts of the defendant [is] are unknown to the plaintiff, any judge or clerk of the Supreme Court or of the Superior Court may make such order of notice as [he] such judge or clerk deems reasonable. After notice has been given and proved to the court, the court may hear the complaint if it finds that the defendant has actually received notice that the complaint is pending. If it does not appear that the defendant has had such notice, the court may hear the case, or, if it sees cause, order such further notice to be given as it deems reasonable and continue the complaint until the order is complied with. Nothing in this section shall be construed to affect the jurisdictional

requirements of chapter [8150] <u>815p</u> in a complaint for custody.

Sec. 105. Subsection (a) of section 46b-56 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

- (a) In any controversy before the Superior Court as to the custody or care of minor children, and at any time after the return day of any complaint under section 46b-45, the court may at any time make or modify any proper order regarding the education and support of the children and of care, custody and visitation if it has jurisdiction under the provisions of chapter [815o] 815p. Subject to the provisions of section 46b-56a, the court may assign the custody of any child to the parents jointly, to either parent or to a third party, according to its best judgment upon the facts of the case and subject to such conditions and limitations as it deems equitable. The court may also make any order granting the right of visitation of any child to a third party, including, but not limited to, grandparents.
- Sec. 106. Section 46b-57 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

In any controversy before the Superior Court as to the custody of minor children, and on any complaint under this chapter or section 46b-1 or 51-348a, if there is any minor child of either or both parties, the court, if it has jurisdiction under the provisions of chapter [815o] 815p, may allow any interested third party or parties to intervene upon motion. The court may award full or partial custody, care, education and visitation rights of such child to any such third party upon such conditions and limitations as it deems equitable. Before allowing any such intervention, the court may appoint counsel for the child or children pursuant to the provisions of section 46b-54. In making any order under this section, the court shall be guided by the best interests of the child, giving consideration to the wishes of the child if [he] the child is of sufficient age and capable of forming an intelligent preference.

Sec. 107. Subsection (e) of section 46b-115s of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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- (e) If a party under oath alleges in an affidavit [,] or a pleading or on a form prescribed by the Office of the Chief Court Administrator that the health, safety or liberty of a party or child would be jeopardized by disclosure of location information, the information must be sealed and shall not be disclosed to the other party or the public unless the court, after a hearing, determines that it is in the interest of justice that such disclosure be made. The party making such allegation shall (1) provide obvious notice to the clerk of the court that such allegation is being made; (2) not file location information that poses the risk unless ordered by the court; (3) identify, in writing, documents previously filed with the court that contain location information that poses the risk; and (4) if, at the time the allegation is made, the party is not represented by counsel in the proceeding, provide the clerk of the court with a mailing address that may be disclosed to the public. Except as otherwise provided by [court rule, obvious notice] rule of court, as used in this subsection, [shall mean] "obvious notice" means notice as provided on a form prescribed by the Office of the Chief Court Administrator or a notice to the clerk of the court which is set forth in the bottom margin of the first page of such filed document.
- Sec. 108. Subsection (e) of section 46b-141 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (e) All other commitments of delinquent, mentally deficient or mentally ill children by the court pursuant to the provisions of section 46b-140, may be for an indeterminate time. Commitments may be reopened and terminated at any time by said court, provided the Commissioner of Children and Families shall be given notice of such proposed reopening and a reasonable opportunity to present the commissioner's views thereon. The parents or guardian of such child may apply not more than twice in any calendar year for such

reopening and termination of commitment. Any order of the court made under the provisions of this section shall be deemed a final order for purposes of appeal, except that no bond shall be required [nor] and no costs shall be taxed on such appeal.

- Sec. 109. Subdivision (4) of section 46b-212a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 2443 (4) "Governor" means an individual performing the functions of Governor or the executive authority of a state covered by sections 46b-2445 212 to [47b-213v] 46b-213v, inclusive.
- Sec. 110. Section 47a-56a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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nuisance continued to exist in such property after the time fixed for the removal thereof in such order, and such statement shall contain a description of the property and the conditions constituting such nuisance; and (3) a brief description of the nature of the work required to remove or remedy the condition and an estimate as to the cost thereof.

- Sec. 111. Section 49-8 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- (a) The mortgagee or a person authorized by law to release the mortgage shall execute and deliver a release to the extent of the satisfaction tendered before or against receipt of the release: (1) Upon the satisfaction of the mortgage; [or] (2) upon a bona fide offer to satisfy the [same] mortgage in accordance with the terms of the mortgage deed upon the execution of a release; [, or] (3) when the parties in interest have agreed in writing to a partial release of the mortgage where that part of the property securing the partially satisfied mortgage is sufficiently definite and certain; [,] or (4) when the mortgagor has made a bona fide offer in accordance with the terms of the mortgage deed for such partial satisfaction on the execution of such partial release.
 - (b) The plaintiff or the plaintiff's attorney shall execute and deliver a release when an attachment has become of no effect pursuant to section 52-322 or section 52-324 or when a lis pendens or other lien has become of no effect pursuant to section 52-326.
 - (c) The mortgagee or plaintiff or the plaintiff's attorney, as the case may be, shall execute and deliver a release within sixty days from the date a written request for a release of such encumbrance (1) was sent to such mortgagee, plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney at the person's last-known address by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, or (2) was received by such mortgagee, plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney from a private messenger or courier service or through any means of communication, including electronic communication, reasonably calculated to give the person the written

request or a copy of it. The mortgagee or plaintiff shall be liable for damages to any person aggrieved at the rate of two hundred dollars for each week after the expiration of such sixty days up to a maximum of five thousand dollars or in an amount equal to the loss sustained by such aggrieved person as a result of the failure of the mortgagee or plaintiff or the plaintiff's attorney to execute and deliver a release, whichever is greater, plus costs and reasonable attorney's fees.

- Sec. 112. Section 49-8a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 2511 (a) For the purposes of this section and section 49-10a:

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- (1) "Mortgage loan" means a loan secured by a mortgage on one, two, three or four family residential real property located in [the state of Connecticut] this state, including, but not limited to, a residential unit in any common interest community, as defined in section 47-202.
- 2516 (2) "Person" means an individual, corporation, limited liability 2517 company, business trust, estate, trust, partnership, association, joint 2518 venture, government, governmental subdivision or agency, or other 2519 legal or commercial entity.
- 2520 (3) "Mortgagor" means the grantor of a mortgage.
- (4) "Mortgagee" means the grantee of a mortgage; provided, if the mortgage has been assigned of record, "mortgagee" means the last person to whom the mortgage has been assigned of record; and provided further, if the mortgage has been serviced by a mortgage servicer, "mortgagee" means the mortgage servicer.
 - (5) "Mortgage servicer" means the last person to whom the mortgagor has been instructed by the mortgagee to send payments of the mortgage loan. The person who has transmitted a payoff statement shall be deemed to be the mortgage servicer with respect to the mortgage loan described in that payoff statement.
- 2531 (6) "Attorney-at-law" means any person admitted to practice law in

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- 2533 (7) "Title insurance company" means any corporation or other 2534 business entity authorized and licensed to transact the business of 2535 insuring titles to interests in real property in this state.
 - (8) "Payoff statement" means a statement of the amount of the unpaid balance on a mortgage loan, including principal, interest and other charges properly assessed pursuant to the loan documentation of such mortgage and a statement of the interest on a per diem basis with respect to the unpaid principal balance of the mortgage loan.
 - (b) If a mortgagee fails to execute and deliver a release of mortgage to the mortgagor or to the mortgagor's designated agent within sixty days from receipt by the mortgagee of payment of the mortgage loan (1) in accordance with the payoff statement furnished by the mortgagee, or (2) if no payoff statement was provided pursuant to a request made under section 49-10a, in accordance with a good faith estimate by the mortgagor of the amount of the unpaid balance on the mortgage loan using (A) a statement from the mortgagee indicating the outstanding balance due as of a date certain, and (B) a reasonable estimate of the per diem interest and other charges due, any attorneyat-law or duly authorized officer of a title insurance company may, on behalf of the mortgagor or any successor in interest to the mortgagor who has acquired title to the premises described in the mortgage or any portion thereof, execute and cause to be recorded in the land records of each town where the mortgage was recorded, an affidavit which complies with the requirements of this section.
 - (c) An affidavit pursuant to this section shall state that:
 - (1) The affiant is an attorney-at-law or the authorized officer of a title insurance company, and that the affidavit is made in behalf of and at the request of the mortgagor or the current owner of the interest encumbered by the mortgage;
 - (2) The mortgagee has provided a payoff statement with respect to

the mortgage loan or the mortgagee has failed to provide a payoff statement requested pursuant to section 49-10a;

- (3) The affiant has ascertained that the mortgagee has received payment of the mortgage loan (A) in accordance with the payoff statement, or (B) in the absence of a payoff statement requested pursuant to section 49-10a, in accordance with a good faith estimate by the mortgager of the amount of the unpaid balance on the mortgage loan calculated in accordance with subdivision (2) of subsection (b) of this section, as evidenced by a bank check, certified check, attorney's clients' funds account check or title insurance company check, which has been negotiated by the mortgagee or by other documentary evidence of such receipt of payment by the mortgagee, including a confirmation of a wire transfer;
- (4) More than sixty days have elapsed since payment was received by the mortgagee; and
- (5) At least fifteen days prior to the date of the affidavit, the affiant has given the mortgagee written notice by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, of intention to execute and cause to be recorded an affidavit in accordance with this section, with a copy of the proposed affidavit attached to such written notice; and that the mortgagee has not responded in writing to such notification, or that any request for additional payment made by the mortgagee has been complied with at least fifteen days prior to the date of the affidavit.
 - (d) Such affidavit shall state the names of the mortgagor and the mortgagee, the date of the mortgage, and the volume and page of the land records where the mortgage is recorded. The affidavit shall provide similar information with respect to every recorded assignment of the mortgage.
 - (e) The affiant shall attach to the affidavit (1) photostatic copies of the documentary evidence that payment has been received by the mortgagee, including the mortgagee's endorsement of any bank check,

certified check, attorney's clients' funds account check, title insurance company check, or confirmation of a wire transfer, and (2) (A) a photostatic copy of the payoff statement, or (B) in the absence of a payoff statement requested pursuant to section 49-10a, a copy of a statement from the mortgagee that is in the possession of the mortgagor indicating the outstanding balance due on the mortgage loan as of a date certain and a statement setting out the mortgagor's basis for the estimate of the amount due, and shall certify on each that it is a true copy of the original document.

(f) Such affidavit, when recorded, shall constitute a release of the lien of such mortgage or the property described therein.

- (g) The town clerk shall index the affidavit in the name of the original mortgagee and the last assignee of the mortgage appearing of record as the grantors, and in the name of the mortgagors and the current record owner of the property as grantees.
- (h) Any person who causes an affidavit to be recorded in the land records of any town in accordance with this section having actual knowledge that the information and statements therein contained are false shall be fined not more than five thousand dollars or imprisoned not less than one year [nor] or more than five years, or both <u>fined and imprisoned</u>.
- Sec. 113. Subdivision (1) of subsection (b) of section 49-35a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- (1) If the clerk, upon receipt of all the documents in duplicate, finds them to be in proper form, the clerk shall fix a date for a hearing on the application and sign the order of hearing and notice. An entry fee of twenty dollars shall then be collected and a copy of the original document shall be placed in the court file.
- Sec. 114. Subsection (c) of section 49-55d of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*

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(c) The owner or the owner's representative shall have thirty days next succeeding the date the complaint is returnable to the proper court to file an affidavit with the court controverting any material allegations contained in the complaint and an affidavit that the owner has a valid defense. The issues so raised shall be tried as all other issues in the court. If the owner or the owner's legal representative does not file the necessary affidavits, the lienor may make a motion for judgment and order of sale which shall be heard on short calendar by the court having jurisdiction, which motion the court shall have the power to grant and the court shall order the sale of the vessel by the state marshal or other proper officer at public auction, subject to all prior encumbrances on file with the Secretary of the State, provided, at least seven days prior to the sale, a notice of the time, place and purpose of the sale shall be published in a newspaper having general circulation where the vessel was located at the time of the attachment, and notice of same shall be sent by certified mail to the owner of the vessel at such owner's last-known place of residence and to all other holders of valid security interests on file with the office of [said secretary the Secretary of the State. The proceeds of the sale, after payment of all expenses connected with the sale and payment of any balance due on any valid security interest perfected before the vessel lien was filed, and satisfaction of the vessel lien and satisfaction of any valid security interest subsequent to the vessel lien presented for payment, shall be paid to the owner. If the amount due the owner is not claimed within one year from the date of such sale, it shall escheat to the state.

Sec. 115. Subsection (c) of section 51-181c of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(c) Any person for whom prosecution is suspended and who is placed in the community service program pursuant to subdivisions (1) and (2) of subsection (a) of this section shall agree to the tolling of the

statute of limitations with respect to such crime and to a waiver of [his] such person's right to a speedy trial. If the program monitor certifies to the court that such person successfully completed the community service program, the court shall make a finding of such satisfactory completion and dismiss the charges. If the program monitor certifies to the court that such person did not successfully complete the community service program to which [he] such person was assigned or is no longer [amendable to participate] amenable to participating in such program, the court shall enter a plea of not guilty for such person and transfer the case to the regular criminal docket and immediately place the case on the trial list, except that cases accepted from the housing session pursuant to subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of this section shall be returned to the housing session.

- Sec. 116. Subsection (f) of section 52-57 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- (f) When the other methods of service of process provided under this section or otherwise provided by law cannot be effected, in actions concerning the establishment, enforcement or modification of child support orders other than actions for dissolution of marriage, including, but not limited to, such actions under sections 17b-19, 17b-63 to 17b-65, inclusive, 17b-116 to 17b-138, inclusive, 17b-220 to 17b-250, inclusive, 17b-256, 17b-259, 17b-263, 17b-287, 17b-340 to 17b-350, inclusive, 17b-689, 17b-689b, 17b-743 to 17b-747, inclusive, and 46b-212 to 46b-213v, inclusive, and chapters 815, [815o] 815p, 815t, 815y and 816, and actions to implement garnishments for support under section 52-362, service of process may be made upon a party to the action by one of the following methods, provided proof of receipt of such process by such party is presented to the court in accordance with rules promulgated by the judges of the Superior Court:
 - (1) By certified mail to a party to the action addressed to the employer of such party. Any service of process so sent shall include on the outside envelope the words "To be delivered to the employee in

accordance with subsection (f) of section 52-57". The employer shall accept any such service of process sent by certified mail and promptly deliver such certified mail to the employee; or

- (2) When a party to an action under this subsection is employed by an employer with fifteen or more employees, by personal service upon an official of the employer designated as an agent to accept service of process in actions brought under this subsection. Every employer with fifteen or more employees doing business in this state shall designate an official to accept service of process for employees who are parties to such actions. The person so served shall promptly deliver such process to the employee.
- Sec. 117. Subsection (a) of section 52-143 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (a) Subpoenas for witnesses shall be signed by the clerk of the court or a commissioner of the Superior Court and shall be served by an officer, indifferent person or, in any criminal case in which a defendant is represented by a public defender or special <u>assistant</u> public defender, by an investigator of the Division of Public Defender Services. The subpoena shall be served not less than eighteen hours prior to the time designated for the person summoned to appear, unless the court orders otherwise.
- Sec. 118. Section 52-237 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - In any action for a libel, the defendant may give proof of intention; and unless the plaintiff proves either malice in fact or that the defendant, after having been requested by [him] the plaintiff in writing to retract the libelous charge, in as public a manner as that in which it was made, failed to do so within a reasonable time, [he] the plaintiff shall recover nothing but such actual damage as [he] the plaintiff may have specially alleged and proved.

Sec. 119. Subsection (b) of section 52-321a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

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(b) Nothing in this section shall impair the rights of an alternate payee under a qualified domestic relations order, as defined in Section 414(p) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or any subsequent corresponding internal revenue code of the United States, as from time to time amended. Nothing in this section or in subsection (m) of section 52-352b shall impair the rights of the state to proceed under section 52-361a to recover the costs of incarceration from any federal, state or municipal pension, annuity or insurance contract or similar arrangement described in subdivision (5) of subsection (a) of this section, provided the rights of an alternate payee under a qualified domestic relations order, as defined in Section 414(p) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or any subsequent corresponding internal revenue code of the United States, as from time to time amended, shall take precedence over any such recovery. Nothing in this section [nor] or in subsection (m) of section 52-352b shall impair the rights of a victim of crime to proceed under section 52-361a to recover damages awarded by a court of competent jurisdiction from any federal, state or municipal pension, annuity or insurance contract or similar arrangement described in subdivision (5) of subsection (a) of this section when such damages are the result of a crime committed by a participant or beneficiary of such pension, annuity or insurance contract or similar arrangement; provided the rights of an alternate payee under a qualified domestic relations order, as defined in Section 414(p) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or any subsequent corresponding internal revenue code of the United States, as from time to time amended, shall take precedence over any such recovery.

Sec. 120. Subsection (d) of section 52-362f of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(d) When a support order is issued in another jurisdiction and the

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obligor has income subject to withholding in accordance with the provisions of section 52-362, Support Enforcement Services shall, upon receiving a support order of another jurisdiction with the documentation specified in this subsection from an agency of another jurisdiction, or from an obligee, [and] an obligor or an attorney for either the obligee or obligor, file such support order and documents in registry maintained by Support Enforcement Documentation required for the entry of a support order for another jurisdiction for the purpose of withholding of income shall comply with the requirements of section 46b-213i. If the documentation received by Support Enforcement Services does not conform to those requirements, Support Enforcement Services shall remedy any defect which it can without the assistance of the obligee or requesting agency or person. If Support Enforcement Services is unable to make such corrections, the requesting agency or person shall immediately be notified of the necessary additions or corrections. Support Enforcement Services shall accept the documentation required by this subsection [so] as long as the substantive requirements of this subsection are met.

- Sec. 121. Subsection (h) of section 52-362f of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (h) The agency or Support Enforcement Services, upon receiving a certified copy of any amendment or modification to a support order entered pursuant to subsection (d) of this section, shall file such certified copy with the clerk of Support Enforcement Services, and Support Enforcement Services shall amend or modify the order for withholding to conform to the modified support order.
- Sec. 122. Subsection (a) of section 53-202l of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 2787 (a) [(1)] For <u>the purposes of this section:</u> [, "armor piercing .50 caliber bullet"]

(1) "Armor piercing .50 caliber bullet" means any .50 caliber bullet that is (A) designed for the purpose of, (B) held out by the manufacturer or distributor as, or (C) generally recognized as having a specialized capability to penetrate armor or bulletproof glass, including, but not limited to, such bullets commonly designated as "M2 Armor-Piercing" or "AP", "M8 Armor-Piercing Incendiary" or "API", "M20 Armor-Piercing Incendiary Tracer" or "APIT", "M903 Caliber .50 Saboted Light Armor Penetrator" or "SLAP", or "M962 Saboted Light Armor Penetrator Tracer" or "SLAPT".

- (2) "Incendiary .50 caliber bullet" means any .50 caliber bullet that is (A) designed for the purpose of, (B) held out by the manufacturer or distributor as, or (C) generally recognized as having a specialized capability to ignite upon impact, including, but not limited to, such bullets commonly designated as "M1 Incendiary", "M23 Incendiary", "M8 Armor-Piercing Incendiary" or "API", or "M20 Armor-Piercing Incendiary Tracer" or "APIT".
- Sec. 123. Subsection (a) of section 53-206 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (a) Any person who carries upon [one's] his or her person any BB. gun, blackjack, metal or brass knuckles, or any dirk knife, or any switch knife, or any knife having an automatic spring release device by which a blade is released from the handle, having a blade of over one and one-half inches in length, or stiletto, or any knife the edged portion of the blade of which is four inches or over in length, any police baton or nightstick, or any martial arts weapon or electronic defense weapon, as defined in section 53a-3, or any other dangerous or deadly weapon or instrument, shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars or imprisoned not more than three years or both. Whenever any person is found guilty of a violation of this section, any weapon or other instrument within the provisions of this section, found upon the body of such person, shall be forfeited to the municipality wherein such person was apprehended, notwithstanding

2822 any failure of the judgment of conviction to expressly impose such 2823 forfeiture.

- 2824 Sec. 124. Subsection (c) of section 53-344 of the general statutes is 2825 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from 2826 passage):
- 2827 (c) Any person under eighteen years of age who purchases or 2828 misrepresents such person's age to purchase tobacco in any form shall 2829 be fined not more than fifty dollars for the first offense and not less 2830 than fifty dollars [nor] or more than one hundred dollars for each 2831 subsequent offense.
- 2832 Sec. 125. Subsection (c) of section 53a-28 of the general statutes is 2833 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from 2834 passage):
- 2835 (c) In addition to any sentence imposed pursuant to subsection (b) 2836 of this section, if (1) a person is convicted of an offense that resulted in 2837 injury to another person or damage to or loss of property, (2) the 2838 victim requests financial restitution, and (3) the court finds that the 2839 victim has suffered injury or damage to or loss of property as a result 2840 of such offense, the court shall order the offender to make financial 2841 restitution under terms that it determines are appropriate. In 2842 determining the appropriate terms of financial restitution, the court 2843 shall consider: (A) The financial resources of the offender and the 2844 burden restitution will place on other obligations of the offender; (B) 2845 the offender's ability to pay based on installments or other conditions; 2846 (C) the rehabilitative effect on the offender of the payment of 2847 restitution and the method of payment; and (D) other circumstances, 2848 including the financial burden and impact on the victim, that the court 2849 determines [makes] make the terms of restitution appropriate. If the 2850 court determines that the current financial resources of the offender or the offender's current ability to pay based on installments or other 2852 conditions are such that no appropriate terms of restitution can be 2853 determined, the court may forego setting such terms. The court shall 2854 articulate its findings on the record with respect to each of the factors

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set forth in subparagraphs (A) to (D), inclusive, of this subsection. Restitution ordered by the court pursuant to this subsection shall be based on easily ascertainable damages for injury or loss of property, actual expenses incurred for treatment for injury to persons and lost wages resulting from injury. Restitution shall not include reimbursement for damages for mental anguish, pain and suffering or other intangible losses, but may include the costs of counseling reasonably related to the offense. Restitution ordered by the court pursuant to this subsection shall be imposed or directed by a written order of the court containing the amount of damages for injury or loss of property, actual expenses incurred for treatment for injury to persons and lost wages resulting from injury as ascertained by the court. The order of the court shall direct that a certified copy of the order be delivered by certified mail to the victim and contain an advisement to the victim that the order is enforceable as a judgment in a civil action as provided in section 53a-28a.

Sec. 126. Subsection (a) of section 53a-167c of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(a) A person is guilty of assault of public safety or emergency medical personnel when, with intent to prevent a reasonably identifiable peace officer, firefighter or employee of an emergency medical service organization, as defined in section 53a-3, emergency room physician or nurse, employee of the Department of Correction, employee or member of the Board of Parole, probation officer, employee of the judicial branch assigned to provide pretrial secure detention and programming services to juveniles accused of the commission of a delinquent act or employee of the Department of Children and Families assigned to provide direct services to children and youth in the care or custody of the department from performing his or her duties, and while such peace officer, [fireman] firefighter, employee, physician, nurse, member or probation officer is acting in the performance of his or her duties, (1) such person causes physical injury to such peace officer, firefighter, employee, physician, nurse,

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member or probation officer, or (2) such person throws or hurls, or causes to be thrown or hurled, any rock, bottle, can or other article, object or missile of any kind capable of causing physical harm, damage or injury, at such peace officer, firefighter, employee, physician, nurse, member or probation officer, or (3) such person uses or causes to be used any mace, tear gas or any like or similar deleterious agent against such peace officer, firefighter, employee, physician, nurse, member or probation officer, or (4) such person throws or hurls, or causes to be thrown or hurled, any paint, dye or other like or similar staining, discoloring or coloring agent or any type of offensive or noxious liquid, agent or substance at such peace officer, firefighter, employee, physician, nurse, member or probation officer, or (5) such person throws or hurls, or causes to be thrown or hurled, any bodily fluid including, but not limited to, urine, feces, blood or saliva at such peace officer, firefighter, employee, physician, nurse, member or probation officer.

Sec. 127. Section 54-1c of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

Any admission, confession or statement, written or oral, obtained from an accused person who has not been presented to the first session of the court, or on the day specified for arraignment under the provisions of section 54-1g, or who has not been informed of [his] such person's rights as provided by section 54-1b or [section] 54-64b, shall be inadmissible.

Sec. 128. Subsection (a) of section 54-142c of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(a) The clerk of the court or any person charged with retention and control of erased records by the Chief Court Administrator or any criminal justice agency having information contained in such erased records shall not disclose to anyone the existence of such erased [record] records or information pertaining to any charge erased under any provision of this part, [I of this chapter,] except as otherwise

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JUD Joint Favorable

The following fiscal impact statement and bill analysis are prepared for the benefit of members of the General Assembly, solely for the purpose of information, summarization, and explanation, and do not represent the intent of the General Assembly or either House thereof for any purpose:

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Fund-Type	Agency Affected
None	Various Budgeted State Agencies

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill makes numerous technical changes to the general statutes, none of which has a fiscal impact on the state or municipalities.

OLR Bill Analysis

HB-6352

AN ACT CONCERNING THE REVISOR'S 2002 TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES

SUMMARY:

This bill makes numerous technical changes in the statutes and public acts to correct erroneous or obsolete references and grammatical or typographical errors.

Sections 36, 37, 40, 41, 42, 46, 49, and 89 eliminate references to the federal "Health Care Financing Administration" (HCFA) and replace it with "Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services" (CMS). Effective July 1, 2000 the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services changed HCFA's name to CMS.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon passage

COMMITTEE ACTION

Judiciary Committee

Joint Favorable Report Yea 30 Nay 0